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GERMANY AND THE LEAGUE

Resignation Formally Forwarded

Berlin, Oct. 20.
The German Government has officially notified the Secretary-General of the League of Nations of Germany's withdrawal.
The resignation will not take effect for two years, but it is not Germany's present intention to participate in its activities meantime.—*Reuter*.

LORD BEATTY ON NAVAL NEEDS

BRITISH CRUISER SHORTAGE

URGES EARLY REMEDY

London, Oct. 19.
Another warning regarding Britain's naval weakness was sounded to-day by an Admiral of high reputation, none other than Admiral Lord Beatty.

Lord Beatty was addressing a meeting of the Navy League and he declared his earnest belief that the situation was serious, that Britain's weaknesses must be rectified at the naval conference to be held in 1935.

Britain, he said, had restored her credit but at "terrible risk."
She urgently needed at least seventy first-class cruisers and yet, at the best, she cannot have more than fifty by 1936.

Moreover, he said, the Navy's personnel had been dangerously reduced.

COMPARISONS.

He showed that the United States personnel of 107,000 represented an increase of sixty per cent. on the figures for 1914, while Japan's 88,000 in 1931 represented an increase of seventy-four per cent.

Britain, on the other hand, had only 90,000 officers and men in the Royal Navy, representing a decrease of 35 per cent. on the 1914 figures.

MAINTENANCE COSTS.

He also drew attention to the fact that Britain's naval maintenance expenditure totalled only £43,000,000 annually, as contrasted with the United States' annual expenditure of \$75,000,000.

As regards cruisers, he did not cavil at the American demand for parity, but Britain's acceptance of fifty when she needed seventy was a grave and deplorable blunder.—*Reuter*.

AN AMERICAN WARNING

TO BRITISH NAVY LEAGUE

Washington, Oct. 19.
The American Navy League has prepared a letter for delivery to the British Navy League warning that "continued British antagonism towards the United States naval building policy would block the absolutely essential co-operation of the two nations."—*Reuter*.

The wedding is announced to take place shortly of Mr. John Ward Green, engineer of Messrs. Jardine Matheson, to Miss Alexis Robertson, of 271, Prince Edward Road, Kowloon.

REORGANISATION SCHEME

PLANS FOR IMPROVING SERVICES

GETTING DOWN TO PROBLEMS

A SCHOOL OF MANNERS for drivers and conductors, where in the evenings when off duty they may learn the rudiments of proper relations between bus employees and passengers, in addition to rules of the road and technical knowledge;

The establishment of filling stations along the routes to avoid the necessity for buses to turn into the depots;

Variations of some of the existing routes, particularly of those showing no sign of economic return;

Conversion of buses into Diesel-engined vehicles;

Extension of the New Territories services, with a new fleet of buses.

These are among the more important measures planned by the Kowloon Bus Company under a re-organisation scheme designed to remedy existing faults and causes for complaint, and outlined in an interview by the *Telegraph*.

DIESEL-ENGINE EXPERIMENTS

The creation of a School of Manners may sound odd, but it has been recognized as a necessity by the Bus Company.

After a full survey of local conditions since taking over the various routes on the mainland, they are persuaded of this necessity, and in their scheme of reorganization which is being speeded up at the moment because of complaints, they have included this institution where, in addition to what is considered becoming in a conductor and driver, their employees are also taught

(a) the rules of the road and other traffic regulations and requirements; and
(b) what to do in an emergency, accident, or breakdown.

"NIGHT SCHOOL"

These are the main features Mr. Lam Ming-fan, the Secretary of the Bus Company, claims for the new School which has now been functioning for some little time.

Three evenings a week, conductors and drivers off-duty are assembled in a building attached to the workshops at Kowloon, where, by means of lectures and demonstrations by competent officials, they are taught the essentials of their work, and of conduct befitting the efficient worker, the exemplary employee, and the courteous official too often missing from our buses and trams.

This gesture on the part of the Company seems an adequate reply to some of the complaints of bus users; and if the unique scheme must surely be without its like anywhere in the world—does not attain the full success desired for it, Mr. Lam can assume nothing more than that conductors are psychologically hard to train and the public hard to satisfy.

PUBLIC CRITICISM.

The public criticisms of the Kowloon Bus Company, bringing into question the efficient control and management of the various routes and the number of vehicles required for a regular and reliable service, are similar to those answered by Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan on behalf of the franchise-holding Company on the Island.

On the mainland, a special case appears to have been made out of an alleged inadequacy of service for the two residential districts of Kowloon Tong and Homantin, which it is recalled led to recent



The Scottish Company of the H.K.V.D.C. on their route march in Kowloon yesterday evening.

SIR ERIC DRUMMOND

BRITAIN'S NEW AMBASSADOR

HIGH TRIBUTES IN LONDON

London, Oct. 19.
Sir Eric Drummond, the new British Ambassador to Rome, was to-day the guest of honour at a luncheon in London of the British Italian League over which Lord Rennell—who was himself for some years Ambassador in Rome presided.

Warm tributes were paid to Sir Eric's services when he was Secretary General of the League of Nations.

The Prime Minister wrote: "From intimate experience I can say how deep was the debt of all those associated with the work of the League to his passionate and tireless energy. I am very glad to think that his energy and wisdom will now serve the cause of Anglo-Italian relations."

The Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, proposing Sir Eric's health, said that as Secretary-General at Geneva he had quietly helped to remove more misunderstandings and found a way round more awkward corners than people realise.

AMBASSADOR'S TASK.

He referred to Sir Eric's distinguished predecessors in the Rome Embassy and added: "The work which our Ambassadors do in every great capital abroad is of the highest importance for their duty is to make plain the underlying purpose which inspires British policy, namely, to respect the rights of all others just as we are determined to maintain our own in a spirit of equal justice and to promote not merely friendly relations but friendly feelings between Britain and all the world."—*British Wireless*.

NAZI BAN ON BOOKS

NEW REGULATIONS ISSUED

Berlin, Oct. 19.
Books on Pacifism, Darwinism and Freudianism are banned from all German bookstalls under new regulations which were issued to-day.

Books in a foreign language or translated from foreign languages must not be circulated by lending libraries unless they contain Nordic-German sentiments in form and content.—*Reuter*.

ARMISTICE DAY CELEBRATION

To Follow Lines of Former Years

London, Oct. 19.
The King has decided that the celebration of Armistice Day, November 11th, which falls this year on a Saturday shall follow the lines adopted in previous years. The Home Secretary, on behalf of the Cabinet, is making the necessary arrangements.—*British Wireless*.

ULM SETS A RECORD

IN AUSTRALIA IN LESS THAN A WEEK

AFTER MIDNIGHT LANDING

London, Oct. 19.

A new record for the England-Australia flight has been established; the journey having been completed in less than a week for the first time.

Mr. Charles T. P. Ulm, who set out from London the evening of October 12, landed at Wyndham, Australia, at 12.15 a.m. on October 20, that is 3.45 p.m. Greenwich Mean Time on October 19.

The flight was thus completed in 6 days, 17 hours and 45 minutes, beating by eleven hours the record set up only eight days ago by Sir Charles Kingsford Smith.

Kingsford Smith's record still holds for the solo flight, however, as Mr. Ulm has three companions on his trip, Messrs. Allen and Taylor as co-pilots and Mr. Edwards as navigator.

DEFEATS ILL-LUCK.

Ulm would have done even better time but for the fact that he experienced bad weather conditions at several places and stuck in the mud at Sourabaya when endeavouring to take off on the last lap of the flight.

The machine employed by Ulm was an "Avro" Ten high-wing monoplane, with three powerful engines. He is an Australian and acted as co-pilot for Kingsford Smith on many notable flights, including the one across the Pacific.—*British Wireless*.

MANILA THREATS

LEGISLATORS ARMED

INDEPENDENCE ACT WARNING

Manila, Oct. 17.
The Philippines Legislature will be bristling with pistols and the honourable gentlemen of the legislative chambers will be armed from now on as the result of a threatening letter that those who voted for the defeat of the Hawes-Cutting law will be murdered in cold blood.

Senate President Quezon and Speaker Paredes both received threats yesterday that they would be killed.

The letters were taken seriously by some representatives who received them and they intend to arm themselves to meet the would-be assassins.

Speaker Paredes declares he is going to go alone. After he was elected speaker he has always been accompanied by bodyguards, but he said that to show that the persons who make the threats are welcomed, he prefers to give them the opportunity by going around unaccompanied.

MARKED MEN.

Lately members of the majority have on the laps of their coats the picture of Senate President Quezon. In addition to that they have placed a larger button next to Quezon's picture on the lapel on which is printed the word "Anti." This is pronounced as dangerous by some of the legislators since it will make them easy to spot. However, the members of the majority do not intend to discard their insignia, instead they prefer to carry pistols and shoot it out with whoever wishes to take vengeance because of the defeat of the law.

THE LETTER.

The letter of threat written in pencil read thus: "Beware you executioners of Independence. We care not if we are imprisoned as long as we can kill all the traitors to the country."

Below the text is the picture of a pistol drawn in pencil with the hammer cocked. The letters written in red paper were postmarked Manila, on October 15, at 11 p.m. They were contained in white envelopes with the addresses typewritten and carrying four centavo postage stamps.

Notice has been given of the forthcoming marriage of Mr. James Alexander Greer, vice-President of the Drug Co., Manila, to Miss Dorothy Frances Harris.

It is announced this morning, that the wedding between Pte. James Leslie Bryant, of the Lincolnshire Regiment and Miss Lucy Leong, of 77, Jaffe Street, will not take place.

MR. HEARD IN

BAD SMASH

LUCKY ESCAPE IN HAPPY VALLEY

CAR COMPLETELY WRECKED

Mr. A. J. P. Heard, the well-known jockey, had a remarkably narrow escape from serious injury when his V8 Ford saloon car came into violent collision with a lorry at the junction of Shan Kwong and Village Roads about 9 o'clock this morning.

As a result of the collision, Mr. Heard suffered several nasty injuries to his face, and received treatment in hospital. The driver of the lorry, Li Chu, received a cut on his left knee, and also had the muscle of his arm twisted.

The collision occurred just at the foot of the hill leading up to the Jockey Club stables. Mr. Heard, while driving his car up to the stables along Shan Kwong Road and met the lorry at right angles. The lorry was proceeding along Village Road from East to West.

GOOD SPEED.

It seems certain that both vehicles must have been driven at a good speed. The lorry after striking to car squarely on its left front wheel carried it bodily to the far side pavement at the foot of the hill before coming to a standstill.

The right front wheel of the lorry finished under the left front wheel of the car, lifting it up to a position of about 45 degrees. The left front running board, cab, and engine of the car were completely smashed in.

It was only the safety glass of the car which saved Mr. Heard from receiving more serious injuries.

ROAD STREWN WITH WRECKAGE.

There was a long and distinct skid mark made by the small car on the road. Apparently Mr. Heard must have seen the lorry at a almost the last minute and applied his brakes violently causing it to skid to the point where the lorry struck.

The lorry is owned by the Yuet Hing Restaurant, and contained a load of crockery and food, which was strewn in wild disorder on the road, a good part of the crockery being splintered. The whole of the area immediately round the smash was strewn with wreckage, including bits of the smaller car, which was completely wrecked.

GOES TO HOSPITAL.

Immediately after the collision Mr. Heard proceeded to the No. 2 Police Station, and from there went to hospital to have his injuries dressed, saying he would make a report later.

The driver of the lorry was at the station, and interviewed by a representative of the *Telegraph*, said that he had practically stopped his lorry at the junction when it was struck by the car. The story, however, is untenable in view of the positions of the two vehicles after the smash.

SOVIET BOMBING STORY

DENIED BY THE TASS AGENCY

Moscow, Oct. 19.

Reports published in Chinese newspapers alleging that Soviet aeroplanes had bombed Chanchun and flown over Changhai are absolutely untrue, according to the Tass Agency.—*Reuter*.



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YOUR CHILDREN

By Olive Roberts Barton

When the children go back to school there are a few things for both parents and teachers to remember.

One of them is that fall is the time certain diseases choose to have a holiday.

It is hardly necessary to stress typhoid fever to-day but in the old days before city filtration and laboratory tests of water supplies typhoid lay in wait in the water pipes of old buildings until the children got back. Then there was trouble. I myself was one of the victims and the dregs of the disease have affected my entire life.

In any community where there is any doubt whatsoever about the water piped into the schools, it should be brought in barrels from safer sources until something can be done about it.

But other diseases appear in epidemic form in the fall, that are not due to low or tainted water supply.

An Ounce of Prevention

I do not say this to frighten mothers—they all know it anyway—but merely to remind them that escapes are often due to the simplest methods of prevention.

I would warn children never to drink out of a common drinking cup. Most schools have fountain-to-day. If not, there should be individual paper cups. If they are not provided, buy each child his own supply to take with him. And tell him not to stop just any place for a drink. Soda fountain should have either paper containers or a thorough method of scalding and washing—that in many cases are far from thorough. But of course we cannot go about with microscopes examining glasses. At least the glasses are washed before being used again and that is something.

Try if possible to make the children keep their hands away from their faces, not only their mouths but their noses and their eyes make them wash hands often, particularly before meal time. Clear handkerchiefs and no borrowed handkerchief from another child are imperative.

Fall Precautions

Influenza is a fall disease. Watch headaches and coughs. On wet days protect feet with rubbers. A child should never sit in damp clothes or shoes. Don't let colds run on. See the doctor.

A teacher can tell usually if a child is ill. If a head goes down on a desk—investigate. If the child seems feverish or flushed get him home at once. If he is coughing or sneezing frequently he is better off out of the school room and the rest of the children are safer.

Children need substantial food and milk. Lunch should not be a hurried cold snack but something cooked and nourishing. A child who is not well enough should sleep alone. The common pillow is a carrier of colds and

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GLORIFYING YOURSELF

A Mask to Tone Your Complexion

By Alicia Hart

You're masking your beauty if you don't treat your face to a home mask treatment once in a while.

One of the most frequent questions which a beauty editor is asked is how and what to use for a home mask.

Masks are to your face what a spring house cleaning is to your home. You keep it reasonably

other troubles when one head on it is that of a patient.

Precautions are not amiss at any time of the year and it only seems sensible to be on the safe side now.

Aid to Pen Shelling

Any woman who does her own cooking will appreciate having a pen sheller. You put the pods in one side, turn a handle and the pens come out one end while the pods fall into a pan which is set underneath the machine.

clean most of the time but, once in a while, you need to get right into the most unobtrusive corners and do the cleaning job "up brown."

Masks stimulate circulation, thoroughly cleanse and tone the complexion.

The old fashioned egg mask is one of the best and certainly one of the easiest to prepare and use.

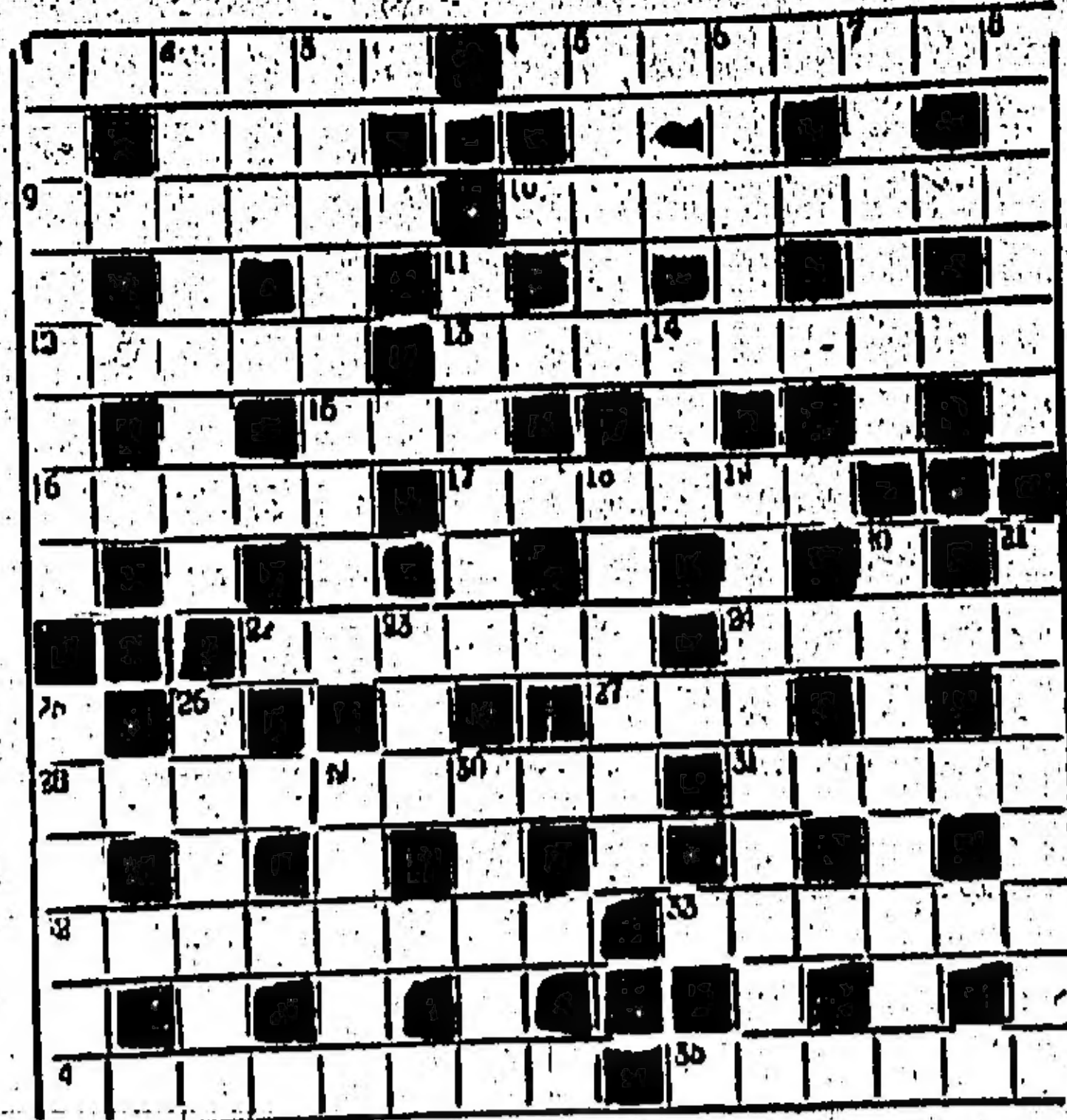
Take one fresh egg. Separate the yolk and white and place each one in an ice cold bowl of its own. Beat each one lightly with a fork or egg beater.

Clean your face with soap and water and then with cleansing cream. Be sure to remove all the cream.

Now smear your face and neck with the beaten egg yolk. Allow it to dry. Put the egg white on over the dried yolk and let it dry too. Lie down for 20 minutes, leaving the two layers of egg on your skin. Try to relax completely for all of the 20 minutes. Then rinse off all the egg with tepid water.

Apply a skin toning lotion to your face. If your skin feels dry after the mask treatment, use a tiny bit of tissue cream.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across

- 1 Asiatic.
- 4 Elegantly expressive, to quote Len, sir, though rather obscurely, and—
- 9 These ancients are dud, sir! If you like.
- 10 Serves as a sign.
- 12 Part of South Africa.
- 13 A longing you cannot get until you are away from home.
- 15 The river of the Cockney's outer pest.
- 16 Earnestly desires, as one who suffers from 13.
- 17 Fiction in such a book is strongly to be deplored.
- 22 A system of business not encouraged at cash stores.
- 24 You may take it or leave it, sit on it or appeal to it—but do not ruffle its hair.
- 27 The interrupted river of 19.
- 28 Full of beans.
- 31 Clear as should be he who takes the 24.
- 32 These belong to any nation but the Jews.
- 33 Reflect.
- 34 Dear mol it takes ten gross to make him sing.
- 35 It's in the heart of every native of these islands.

Down

- 1 It goes eagerly, but try laden for a change, though—
- 2 You will only overload Anthony by such voracity.
- 3 No matter how accustomed to great wide open spaces, this part of Spain would even take in a U.S.A. lad.
- 5 You'll find a penny in the

grounds of this English city.

- 6 Assigned share.
- 7 Power.
- 8 A Dutchman who names an Antipodean island.
- 11 Elk tan (anag).
- 14 Germans used to drink to the label—which never came off.
- 18 As a hint it is straight.
- 19 Higher still.
- 20 We have the "dogs" and the "gee-gees," but at this game I hear and see that you may back a national pest.
- 21 You may broil on it, or grind, as an alternative.
- 23 Embryonic fish.
- 25 Equine sounds of negation.
- 26 Hunting.
- 29 These ways have no connection with means.
- 30 A subject that always opens with the others objectively.

Yesterday's Solution.

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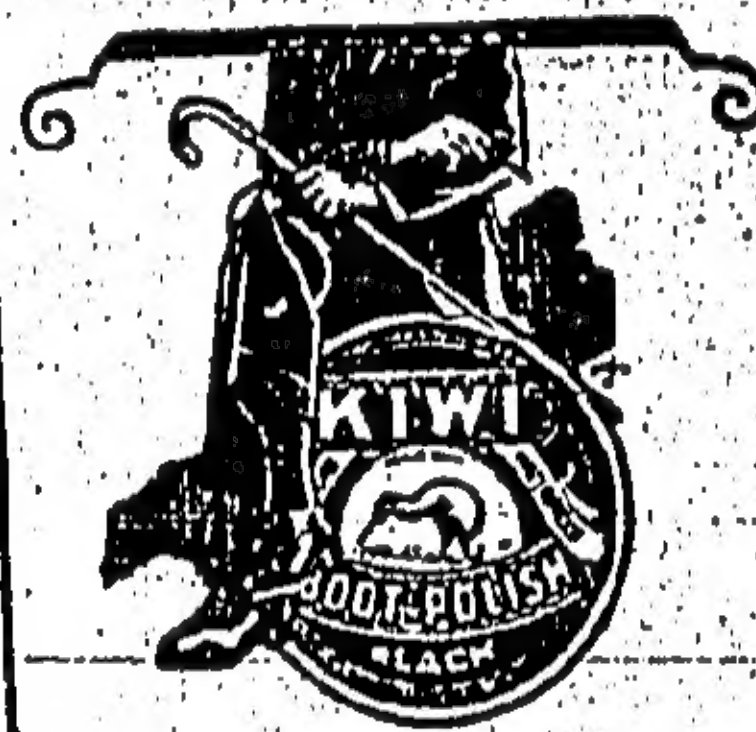
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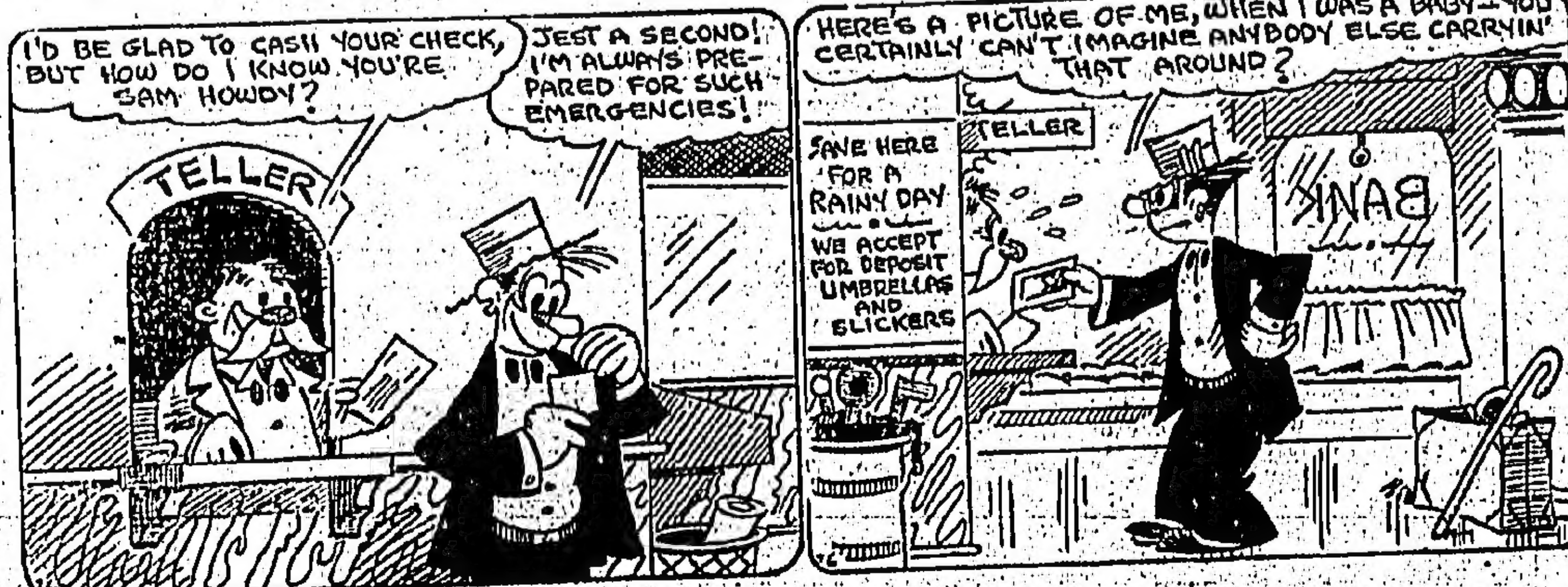
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"SHADOWS BY THE SEA"

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SYNOPSIS.

Leonard Sefton, running into a disappearance mystery at University, decides to indulge in a little amateur detective work. The missing man is the professor of the Mermaid Hotel, which is being kept open under the management of his daughter, Jessica Fyne. A mysterious stranger visits the hotel and talks with a servant named Luigi. Later, the dead body is found at the foot of the cliff.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

CHAPTER VI.

"At the Foot of the Cliff."

Jim stared at the unpleasant sight with wide-open eyes and mouth agape. For a moment his heart almost stopped beating. Then it began beating with double its customary speed, as though to make up for the time it had lost.

Overhead a sea-gull soared, oblivious to the fact that anything unusual was happening below it. How should it know, or, knowing, why should it care? The billions of living entities comprising this world are divided from each other by impenetrable veils of ignorance, and by the callous illusion of individual importance.

It was the sudden crying of the sea-gull that jerked the terror-stricken little boy to action.

"Golly!" he breathed, inadequately; and then, all at once, turned nimbly and began speeding up the cliff path.

Reaching the top, a moment of giddiness had to be survived. Jim sat down, rather abruptly, on a little grassy knoll. "Golly!" he breathed again. Only a short while ago he had been speaking to that silent shape.

"Dreadnought!" he thought, with sudden hops. But when he opened his eyes after tightly closing them he knew that the silent shape still lay at the foot of the cliff, even though he could no longer see it; and the sea-gull still swept with restless, mysterious purpose through the clear blue sky.

Jim jumped up again, and ran towards the hotel. The distance was not great, but it seemed great this afternoon. A hand shot out and caught him when he was fifty yards from his goal.

"Why you runna like zat?" exclaimed the owner of the hand. Jim gazed up into the pale blue eyes of the Italian waiter, Luigi.

"No good runna in ze sun," proceeded Luigi, frowning. "You sink Miss Fyne—how you say?—pitch at you for being late?"

Jim shook himself free.

"Miss Fyne never pitches inter nobody," he retorted, somewhat indignantly.

"She never pitch at me," admitted Luigi, smiling. "I no give her ze chance. I no tell 'er when I break ze glasses." Then he stopped smiling, and stared at Jim rather hard. "Why you runna like zat, eh? You seen a ghost? Tall, large sing, in tall large sheet? Show Luigi! Where?" He grinned again, ironically.

"I seen wuss'n-a-ghost," replied Jim.

"Oh, oh!" laughed Luigi. "Ze Devil, zen, eh? Long tail—"

"Yes, you be funny!" interposed Jim. "I seen a corpse!"

Luigi's grin faded once more, and he backed a little.

"A—corpse?" he muttered; and then added, all at once, "Maria! Number Three!"

"Es down thereon the sands, 'o is," went on Jim. "I come upon 'im jest now, and 'e's lyin' there dead, on a rock."

"Dead—on ze rock," repeated Luigi, in a dazed voice.

"That's right. I'm jest goin' in to tell 'em. You go and 'avo a look, Looby."

"No, sank you," replied the waiter. His face was very pale, and his voice was unsteady. "I—go back wiz you. Zen—we go and 'avo a little look, eh? All togezzar. Si, si!"

He tried to grin again, but it was rather a failure. Luigi was no longer in a grinning mood.

He turned, and accompanied the boy back to the hotel. As they drew near the building, the plump of a ball meeting gut fell upon their ears, and a voice called from the hidden lawn, "Shot, sir!" Luigi shuddered suddenly.

"Ow was 'o kill?" he whispered.

"Dunno," replied Jim.

A little way off, Miss Fyne was watering a bed of roses across which the shadow of a hedge had fallen. Jim hesitated for a second, then walked towards her. Luigi hung behind.

"Oh, Jim, run and turn off the tap, will you?" said Miss Fyne when she saw him. "And then I want you to help me nail up the creeper by the drawing-room window."

Jim turned, glad of the little delay, and while he walked to the wall and turned the tap off, his young mistress laid down the hose.

"Come here, Jim!" called Miss Fyne, suddenly.

"Yes, miss?" replied Jim, advancing again.

He found her eyes boring into his.

"Something's the matter, Jim," said Miss Fyne, quietly. "What is it?"

Jim gulped. Now that he was face to face with it, he did not like his role of news reporter—for it was bad news, and Miss Fyne had had more than her share of that lately. However, it could not be helped, so he plunged.

"Nothin' ter do with us 'ere' miss," he began, protectively. "But there's a dead feller on the beach."

Jessica Fyne's hand shot up to her breast and she gave a little cry.

"No, it ain't Mr. Fyne!" the boy went on quickly. "It's a feller wot was speakin' to me about a hour ago."

"Jim—you're telling the truth?" exclaimed Miss Fyne. "You know you know it isn't my father?"

"Course it ain't," replied Jim, emphatically. "It's a well-dressed bloke 'oo spoke ter me, like wot I see, and 'e's lyin' now, miss, at the foot of the cliff. By the gap, 'e is. I thort I better tell you fust, miss."

"Yes, you've done quite right, Jim," answered Miss Fyne, recovering herself. "The poor fellow! We must go to him. Are you sure he's dead?"

"Dead as a door-nail, miss," asserted Jim. "But you'd better not go, miss. Or I got ter do's ter tell the police—"

Something soared above them, and came down in the bed of roses. One of the players had made a wild shot on the tennis lawn. A

moment later, Leonard Sefton came running round the angle of the hotel to regain the ball.

"I hope we haven't slain any of your flowers, Miss Fyne," he smiled.

"Mr. Sefton?" said Miss Fyne. He stopped abruptly. Miss Fyne frowned suddenly, and went back on herself.

"No—never mind," she murmured. "Please go on with your game."

Leonard glanced at her, and at Jim.

"The game can wait," he said quietly, turning back to Miss Fyne. "Something's happened, hasn't it?"

"Yes, but—"

"Something bad?"

"Yes."

Another figure came round from the lawn—a tall, rather ungainly figure, all legs and arms and eyebrows.

"Can't you find it?" cried the newcomer. "Go back—they're waitin'—and I'll have a look."

The speaker was the young man who snarled from the name of Napoleon Truelove.

"I'd rather you did me another favour, Mr. Truelove," answered Leonard.

"Course! Anythin' you like!"

"Take my place. Finish the game for me."

Napoleon Truelove started.

"Beg your pardon?" he queried.

"Would you mind? I'll explain later—in a few minutes. Here's the ball."

He tossed it over. Napoleon caught it, gazed at it for enlightenment, murmured, "Ah right—rightly!" and departed, thoroughly mystified.

The players on the lawn were equally mystified, and Guy Haines was disinclined to accept the verdict.

"One can't go off in the middle of a set like that!" he complained.

"One has," retorted his sister. "Anyway, Guy you've nothing to complain of, because we're three games up on you, and now you'll have a chance of drawing level."

"Oh, come, I say," protested Napoleon, grinning. "That's a bit rough on the substitute, what?"

"My dear Nappy," retorted Beryl Haines, "you can pay the most beautiful compliment, but you can't serve for nuts. If you ask me, I believe our Mr. Leonard Sefton is Tilden or Borotra in disguise."

"Only no one did ask you," observed her brother, with fraternal rudeness. "Well, let's get on."

Meanwhile, the subject of their discussion was listening to Jim's story, which the boy now gave in greater detail. He was certain that the man lying at the foot of the cliff was the man who had spoken to him earlier in the afternoon, and he was certain that the man was dead.

"I knows 'e was dead, sir," he explained, solemnly. "'cos 'e chest wasn't movin' up and down."

"Have you any idea how he died?" asked Leonard.

"Dunno," muttered Jim. "Might 'ave fell over the cliff."

"He very probably did," nodded Leonard, with a reassuring glance at Miss Fyne. "I'll go and have a look at him. By the way, what's he like? Tall, short, rich, poor, good-looking, ugly?"

Jim was not a good hand at description, the only things he could describe graphically, being boots, but the vague picture which he sketched was sufficient to cause a certain of emotion in the breast of the Italian waiter lurking in the background, and by the time the description was completed, Luigi had faded away.

"Good enough," said Leonard, when the boy had finished. "I'll

check that description in a minute."

"Shall I come, too?" asked Miss Fyne.

"No—you'd better stay here," he replied. "I'll come back immediately afterwards, Miss Fyne, and let you know what's happened."

"You needn't try to save me—" she began, but he interrupted.

"My whole object is to save you," he exclaimed, with a smile. "To save you unnecessary distress, anyway. If I believed you could be of any use, I'd ask you to come along."

"You're very considerate."

"I don't think so. I'm just behaving normally—and that's the best thing for all of us to do just now. Oh, I'll tell you how you can help, if you will. Let me have a flask with some brandy in it."

She ran indoors quickly, while Jim shook his head.

"It ain't no good givin' brandy to a tender," he observed luxuriously.

"It's not for him, it's for me," replied Leonard. "I may faint when I see him."

Miss Fyne returned. As she handed him the flask she asked: "What will you do?"

"Tell the police."

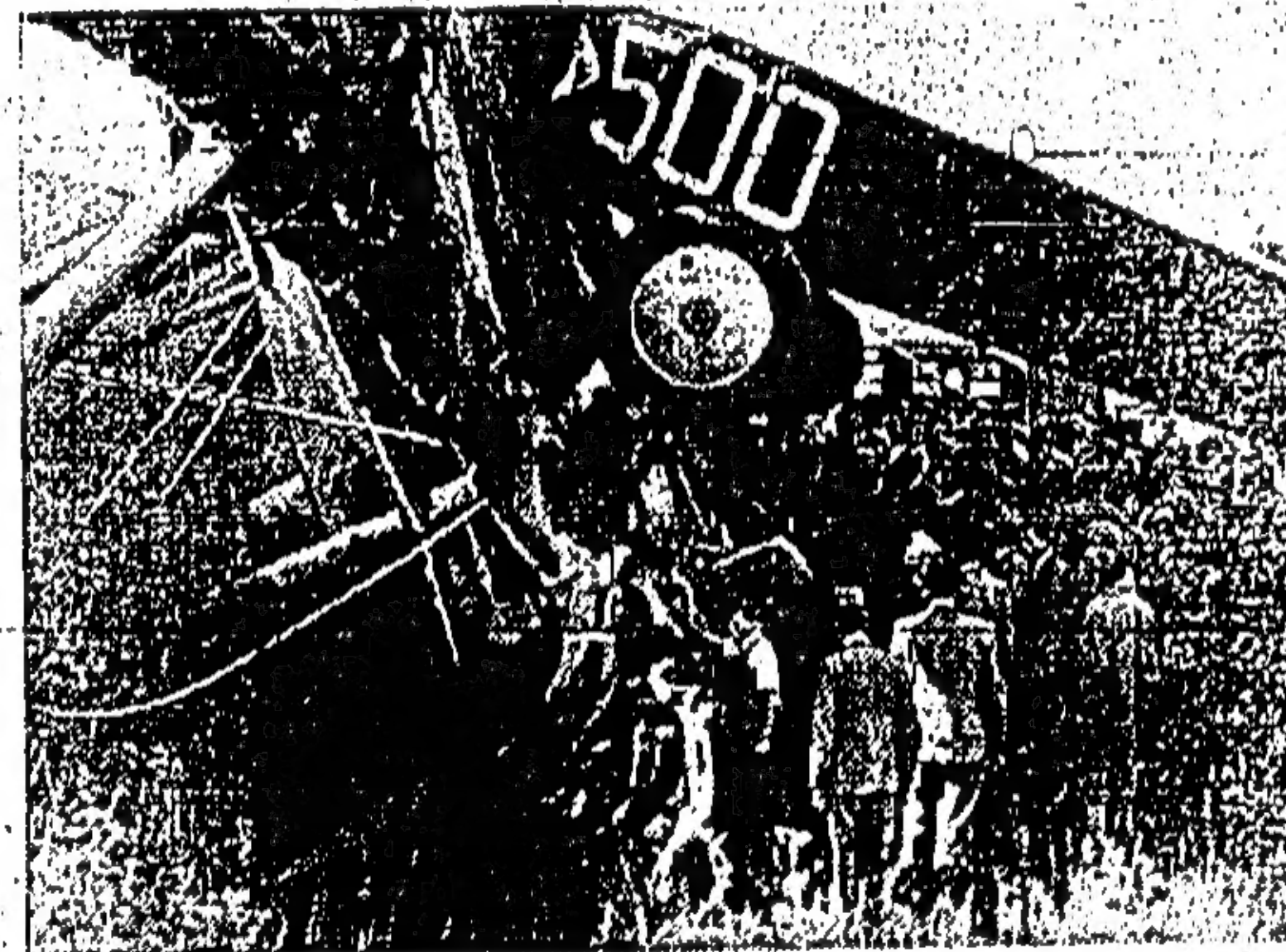
"There'll be—an inquest?"

"Afraid so."

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The crack American train Crescent Limited plunged from a trestle into Eastern Branch, near Washington. The engine and the first few cars left the rails, the fireman and engineer being killed and several people injured. An aerial view of the train after it had left the rails. (Planet News).



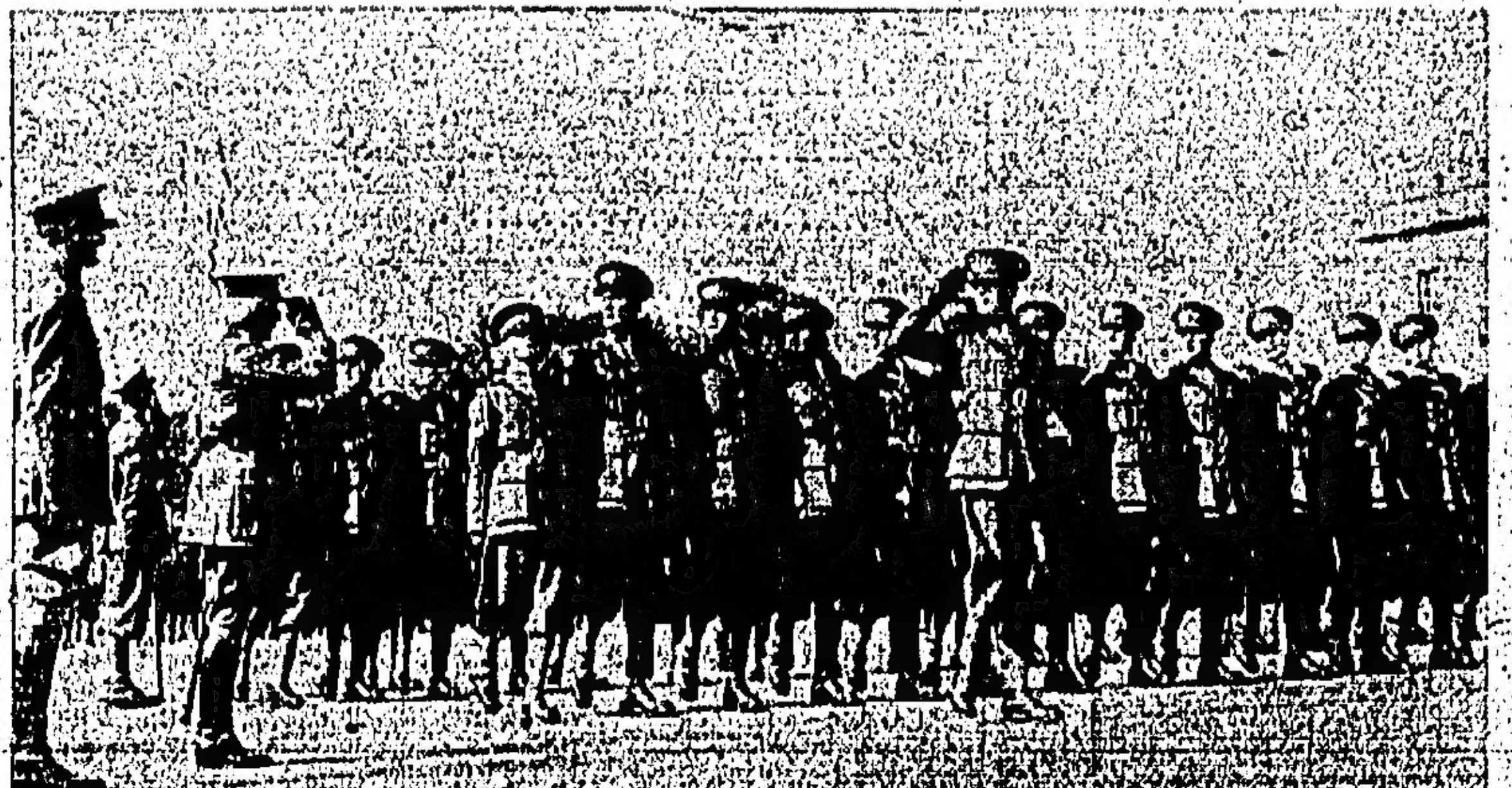
One man was killed and two injured when an R. A. F. Virginia night bomber made a forced landing at Brooklands. This picture shows rescuers at work after the crash. (Planet News).



HITLER AND THE REICHSWEHR.—In the presence of Adolf Hitler, the Chancellor of the Reich, and von Blomberg, minister for the Defence, a manoeuvre has taken place in the environs of Ulm. Our picture shows these two conspicuous characters entertaining during the manoeuvres. (Presses Illustrations Bureau).



A baby show held in connexion with the Southend Carnival Week, attracted a big entry. Here are two babies who did not like being weighed in. (Planet News).



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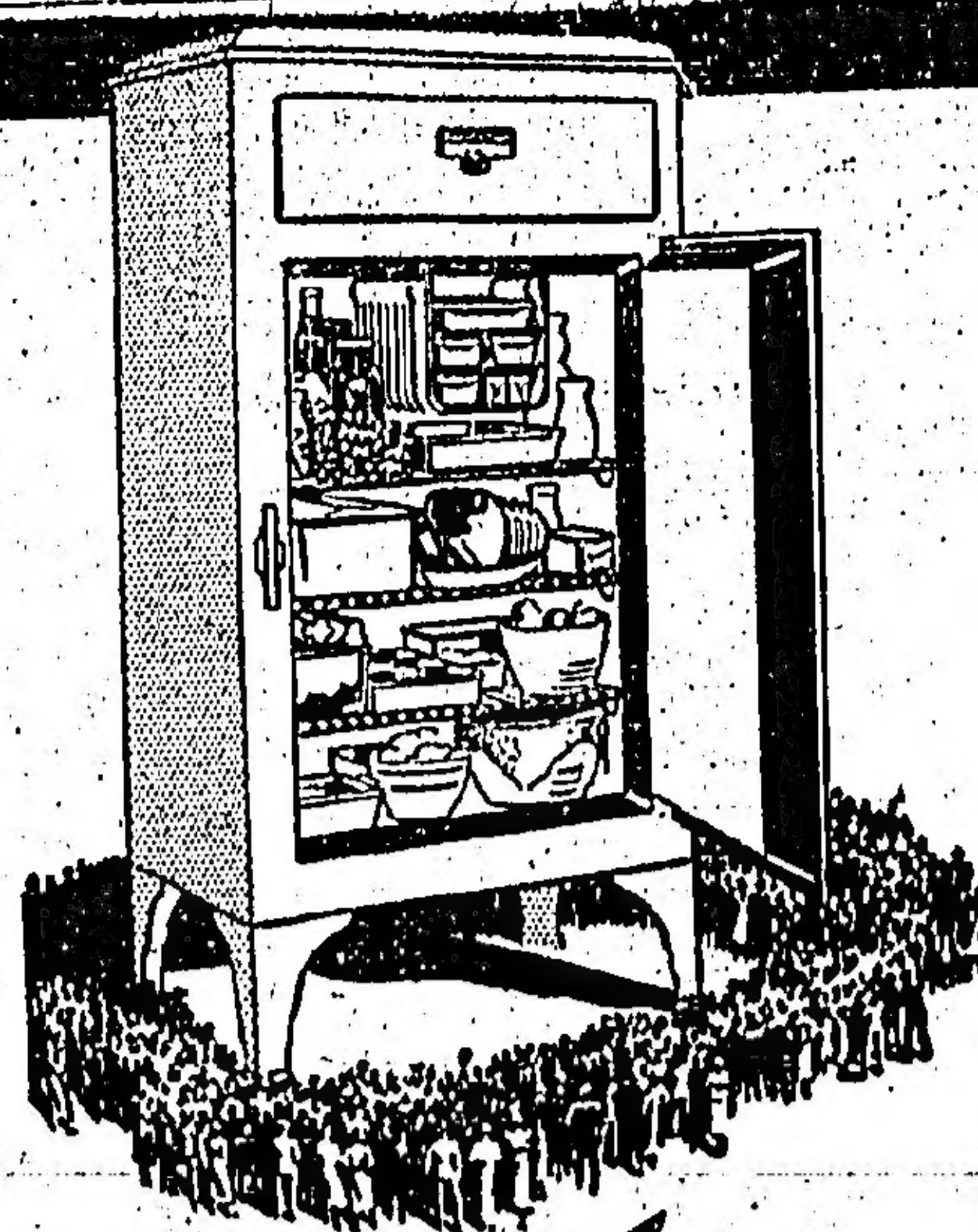
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Shanghai	Klungchow	Fri., Oct. 20, 3.30 p.m.
Swatow and Bangkok	Mulman	Fri., Oct. 20, 4.30 p.m.
Manila, Australia and New Zealand	Changto	Fri., Oct. 20, 4.30 p.m.
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(Due Thursday Island, November 2.)	Letters	Oct. 21, 9 a.m.
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Manila	General Sherman	Sun., Oct. 22, 8.30 a.m.
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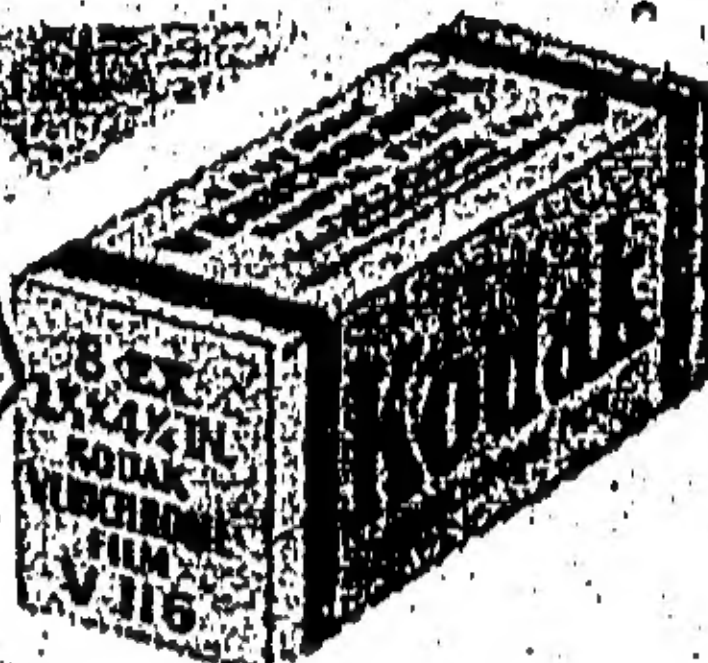
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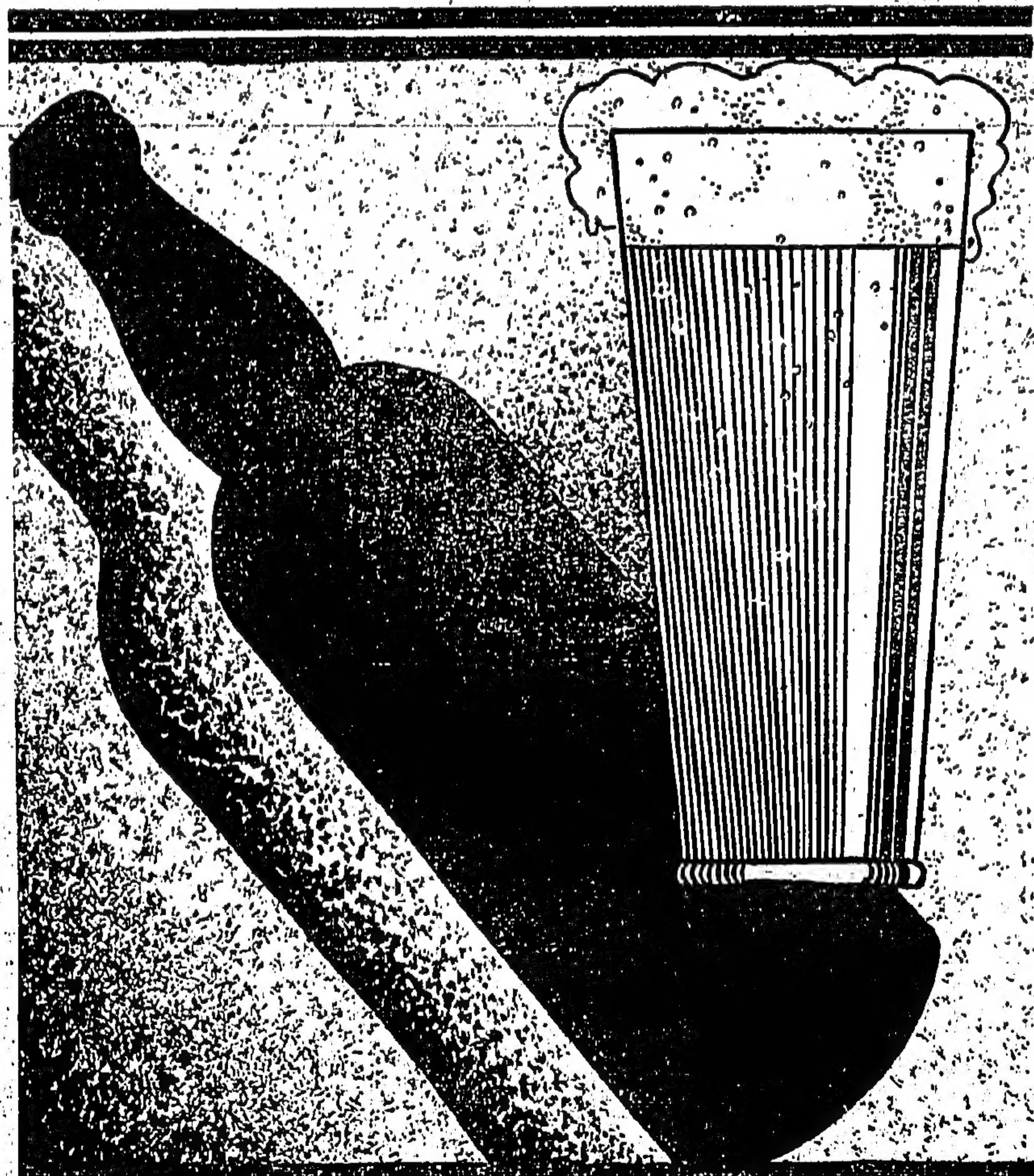
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WOMEN ARE THE SELFISH SEX

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selfishness to carry them into deeper water still.

What of those devoted mothers who refuse to allow their daughters to leave home? They say the world is hard, they have no idea that the daughter has a right to live her own life; it is the only one she'll get, poor thing! These mothers use the mainstay of all methods, tears and reproaches. "I've loved you ever since you were a baby, and now look how you are behaving to your poor old mother!"

Although women will declare that they adore their children, they will stand between them and their happiness, quite grimly. Selfishness again.

Women also play the role of the invalid very well. What family is not harassed by some such selfish female relation who is idling about making everyone else work for her, "because she is so delicate?" It's nerves, says she. It's nonsense, say I.

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For generations women have worked at domesticity in comfortable surroundings, and when the family sat down at night, have assumed that martyrish air, and have said, "Yes, it is all very well for you, but I'm worn out." The family has had to hum round her in sympathetic admiration.

The truth of the matter is that woman wants the centre of the picture and if she can't attract attention by fair means she will use foul.

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of fifty, as compared with the man of that same age, and what do you see? Discontent. Selfishness. The most exquisite mouth is prone to droop with it. The loveliest eyes grow hard. Men would never dare to make such demands on the other inmates of a house as a woman will

make. She is unaffected by the public school code of honour. She is just determined to get her own way, and make other people useful to her. Again I comment that I regret to write this. I regret it, but it is unfortunately true. Mine is the selfish sex.

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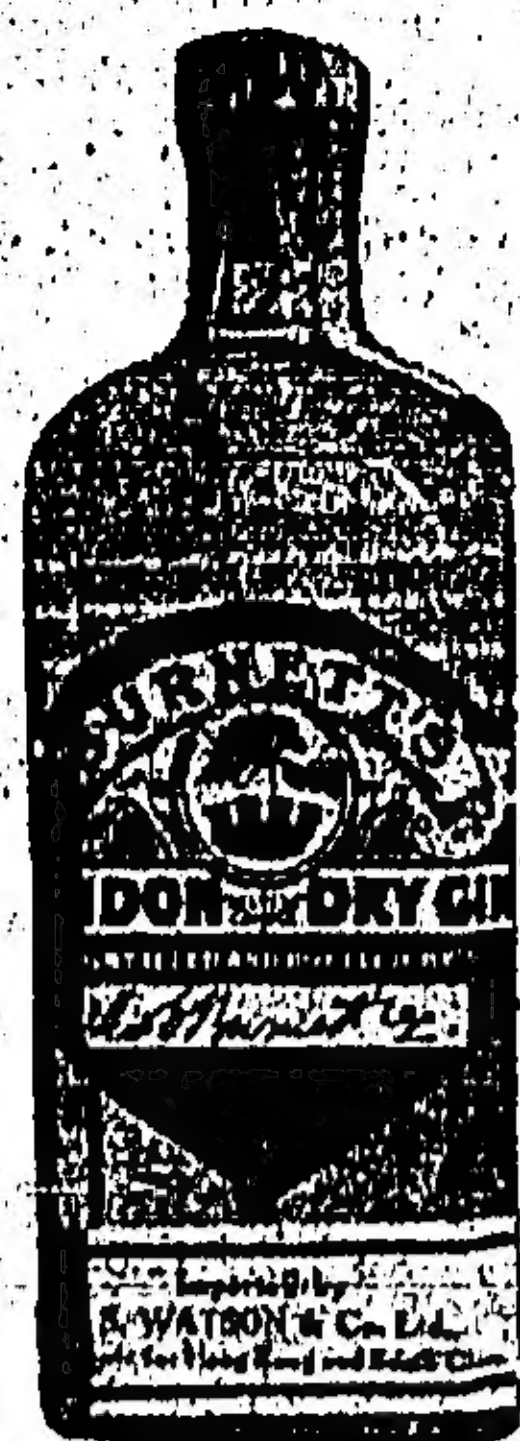
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SOCIAL EVILS

Arrests and convictions of local haridans for trafficking in young girls have become sufficiently frequent of late to provoke comment. There seems to be a feeling, not without justification, that a serious growth in the traffic has recently developed. In the revolting case, this week brought to light, the prosecution was assisted by the fact that the mother was an unwilling party to the transaction, a fact which gives rise to disquiet concerning the extent of vice organisation in these times of acute depression and unemployment. When some considerable time ago, it was decided that Hongkong should return to the principle of prohibition and suppression of licensed premises, a pious trust was reposed in the efficacy of the Ordinance for the Protection of Women and Girls, the only legal instruments devised in the Colony which could hope to deal with the aftermath. It was generally felt, however, that the decisions taken left many local requirements unsatisfied, particularly as problems existing at the time were likely to be intensified by the disintegration of the licensed houses and the driving of their occupants into subterranean channels. It is claimed by supporters of Government policy that where licensed vice has been abolished, traffic in victims becomes more difficult when the system, after a preliminary period of disorganisation, has dwindled. That may be applicable to conditions elsewhere, but here, in a port contiguous with China, the results hardly justify this optimistic view. The problem remains rather more difficult than before. A wide-spread campaign was carried out against sly-brothels during the "period of disorganisation," but it appears to have slackened pace and the traffickers have resumed their activity, aggravating the situation by new recruitments. The arguments of social reformers are still ineffectual in Hongkong where the ancient problem still remains of what can be achieved in the face of old customs and extreme poverty, the lack of means whereby the masses can be introduced to a higher economical standard and to better chances in life. Always discussions on matters such as this must lead to the same end. Attacks on the slum problem, upon social evils of every kind, opium smoking and the like, will always fall of their objective while no effort is made to raise the living standards of the submerged nine-tenths.

NOTES OF THE DAY

FRANC DANGER

Doubts about the stability of the franc have now spread to Paris itself; that more than fear of increased taxation is the probable explanation of the rush to sell French currency on Wednesday afternoon. If the movement develops into a flight of capital from Paris, as is distinctly possible, abandonment of the gold standard may be forced upon the French Government whether they contemplate the step to-day or not. Two fluctuations on the exchange market affected all other Continental gold countries alike, further disturbing commercial interests. The recent uncertainty in the world's currencies must be a nightmare to the trading community. It is obviously impossible to take more than a limited view ahead and while the forward market still offers insurance against risks, it has its limitations, as the Hongkong Government discovered in 1932, much to the alarm of the Auditor.

MR. ROOSEVELT'S PROBLEM

Mr. Tinkham is not alone in feeling dubious about the ultimate success of the Roosevelt Recovery programme. The expectations of the American man-in-the-street have been woefully disappointed, although the experts in trade and industrial affairs, even those who were optimistic, knew that the process of recovery would be protracted. President Roosevelt's main problem is still to persuade the banks to lend. The manner of their offer to accept cash from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is sufficiently indicative of their frame of mind. They feel quite honestly that they are merely adding to the amount of idle money at their disposal. Patriotism in accepting the offer is not likely to be followed by "patriotic loans" to individuals or firms who cannot provide them with ample security. Badly caught only six or seven months ago, a policy of caution to-day is psychologically certain.

NATIONAL GOVERNMENT

Democracy or dictatorship? The question for many countries has ceased to be academic. Democracy is struggling for its existence. In 1864, when the "Statesmen's Yearbook" was first issued, there were in Europe eighteen monarchies and one republic; to-day, according to Dr. M. Epstein, the Yearbook's editor, there are eleven republics and only eight monarchies. Recent events show that it would be absurd to conclude from these significant figures that the decline of monarchy necessarily means the advance of democracy. If democracy is a system in which power resides in the people, it is more likely to be found in monarchical Britain than in the republican Soviets. The trend from royalty to republic is no indication whether or not the world is steadily becoming more democratic. Figures like those of Dr. Epstein do not furnish any answer to the question whether the development of events is favourable to democracy or the reverse.

DEMOCRACY'S ASSET

Hitherto, even in democratically governed countries, the control of foreign policy has been left in the hands of the executive; but the mutual interdependence of the nations to-day makes foreign affairs so fundamental an aspect of government that to separate them from the direction of the people's representatives would reduce democracy from a reality to a mere name. Further, increasing complexity of the questions of internal politics—the intricacy of such matters, for example, as the gold standard and tariffs—makes the task of a democratic government harder than ever. Yet these difficulties are not so much a discouragement as a spur and a challenge for democracy to overcome them. For many hundreds of years it was considered axiomatic that democracy could function only in a small city state; the application of democratic system of government to an area as large as England would for more than a thousand years have appeared fantastic and absurd. As democracy has conquered the limitation of size, so will it triumph over its other difficulties. The reason for its ultimate success, is fundamental. In Britain and elsewhere at the moment it may not seem to have the qualities of speed and decision to be observed in more autocratic systems; but among a people with whom it has grown up and developed naturally, democracy has a flexibility, a capacity to adapt itself to changing needs, not found in any other method of government so far discovered.

THE PHILOSOPHY OF A LOCAL BOOTBLACK

IT NEVER RAINS BUT IT SHINES FOR HIM

By C. V.-L. for the Telegraph

The cold season, from which a tolerable continuance of the dry spell may be expected, is on the verge of setting in, and local bootblacks, with a period of emergency barely left behind, are speculating if for them business will improve. Like other businesses, necessary or unnecessary, the business of making shoes shine has its ups and downs, and just now it has fallen into the pit of the general slump.

If people will only follow the advice of the economist and spend more and save less, least of all on the trifling cost that will help to make their lives brighter by a little shoe polish, what a different story perhaps, there might be to tell!

All the virtues concentrated in a tiny tin of shoe polish may not have been recognised and exploited by people in the trade, and we are only dimly conscious that in some mysterious way it is connected with Cherry Blossom or that feathered oddity they tell us is the key. Except that it serves a useful purpose by making old and dilapidated shoes look less old and dilapidated, the other uses for polish, as for instance its aid to character-reading, have not been fully considered in our daily routine.

THE FINER POINTS

It has been left, we venture to think, to a bootblack more than anybody else, to assess the psychological points in footwear. To him it matters little if the footwear is expensive, or merely the cheaper products of standardised and mass manufacture more favoured by the plodding proletariat. But if they are dirty, or if he thinks they require his professional services, he publicly calls attention to the fact, and the owner's reputation for respectability, depending on how he meets the offer, is at once at stake. On the other hand, the variety of footwear upon which his professional eye alights in a day must have struck the full range of individual expressions—granted that with the requisite degree of polish, they fairly reflect the character of the owner. Instantly, the shape and style intrude here. What is clearer than high heels and pointed toes as an indication to effeminacy and a mingling nicety of deportment in the male, or broader shoe patterns to emphasise a firmness of step and solidity of outlook?

Or again, clean shoes denote a person of careful habits, and dirty shoes a proof of well, a darkened outlook. In the latter case what more fitting and natural than that a shoeblack should here intervene for a saving duty to the community by imparting the necessary degree of polish, in order

that he, Mr. So-and-So, be enabled to see in the shining expanse of leather a reflection of his own self: in short, seeing himself as others see him?

BUSINESS EXIGENCIES

Wherefore it is to be believed the bootblack does occupy a niche in our communal structure instead of merely a nuisance and an obstruction.

True, the fraternity may have pushed business enterprise a bit too far. A few in this connexion have been known to seize on the unwilling leg and draw it, willfully, to the footstool. But that is only to be expected when the community keeps its footwear meticulously clean and the dry weather conspiring to preserve this mark of respectability. A bootblack, in the last analysis, is compelled to live in order that he may continue to serve a thankless public.

When one comes to think of it, there is just one moral danger to the bootblacks themselves. Force of habit and an endless parade of dirty shoes may have tended to keep their gaze rivetted to earth when it could have been lifted up to other things finer and far brighter than the polish they are so ready to deal out to all and sundry with such an impartial hand.

Women Are the Selfish Sex

By URSULA BLOOM.

I regret writing this. It seems to be, on the face of it, disloyal. Yet it is so well deserved that I cannot help putting my pen to it. I say in the face of all opposition that mine is the selfish sex! Mine is the selfish sex!

Speaking in generalities, nine times out of ten mine is the sex that expects everything to be done for it, and to do precious little in return. Look round you. Women expect men to stand up for them in buses and tubes. Women push themselves into theatre queues and booking office queues half-way up, ignoring the protest of the others about them. Women occupy the time of busy people, and keep others waiting, while they ask ridiculous questions which could with any forethought have been answered elsewhere and previously.

Have you ever seen a man run a shop-assistant off his or her feet while he made up his mind about twopennyworth of ribbon? No, of course you haven't. Yet women do it time and time again.

Have you ever seen an old gentleman demanding that his nephew should play patience with him and wait upon him hand and foot in the way that old aunts demand such service of nieces? Of course not.

EVEN GREATER SINS.

These are the smaller sins of selfishness, but some women do not stay at this. They allow their

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The Very Idea!

TEACHING US MANNERS

By Eddie Kelly, Bus Driver

YOU'LL notice by to-day's Telegraph that the Bus Company is commencing a School of Manners for its employees.

There has, we understand, been some talk of late about the deplorable manners of bus-conductors.

Why complaints should be restricted to bus drivers is beyond our comprehension. We know lots of other Hongkong people who need lessons.

We could mention heaps of names, but, instead, we'll content ourselves with giving a few hints on etiquette.

For instance, when a newspaper reporter calls on you the correct thing to do is to grunt and tell him tersely to get to somewhere out of this.

A gentleman should always remove his hat in a lift when ladies are present. If the gentleman is bald, he can walk up the stairs. Make no difference to us. We're just telling you.

Nowadays it is hardly necessary to ask permission of a lady to smoke, unless it's opium; but be careful, if you do ask, not to use the phrase "May I smoke?" You're simply asking for the correct answer, which is "I don't care if you burn."

If a gentleman rises and gives his seat to a lady in a bus, she should first grunt at him, then take a step forward with the left foot, planting it firmly on his right foot, glare at him for having his foot on the floor, flop into the seat, and look out of the window.

It is the little details that count. At table, for instance, it is not good form to push the jam-tin lid down into the tin after you have used it. Someone else may have to struggle with it later.

The careful hostess would never give her guests peas unless mashed potatoes are provided on the same plate. Peas alone can never be retained on a knife, except by an experienced diner-out. With mashed potatoes peas are easy. Give the peas a good coating of mashed potatoes, and they will stick to the knife. Take care, however, not to run out of potatoes before the peas are finished.

When eating fruit, such as mangoes or leeches, the seeds should be removed from the mouth with the hand, and placed in a pocket or handbag.

At important functions it is best to swallow them, as it saves muckling about.

We forgot to mention that where the guest of honour is a man, he should take the hostess's arm when entering the dining room. If the hostess is very far gone, another gentleman may hold the other arm, a third gentleman going in front with the legs.

We think that ought to be enough for the first lesson. Practice diligently, and let's know how you get on, and we'll come and bail you out.

Adieu! (French).

STIFF

(With apologies to all concerned)

If you are broke, with nothing in the larder,

And rent and bills and payments overdue,

If day by day life's weary road seems harder,

And debt-collectors shower writs on you,

If you've no hope of finding a bonanza (The sort that yields twelve ounces to the ton),

Then, with our Eddie and him who's pointed this stanza,

You are a modern Hongkongite, my son.

'EAR I 'EAR I

Nature is wonderful! A million years ago she didn't know we were going to wear spectacles, yet look! at the way she placed our ears.

BY THE SAD SEA

Those who go down to the sea in sampans must have noticed several figures on yachts with rods and lines attached to them. These are fishermen.

These fishermen are not dead. They are merely ossified, and every few months the government send a man to brush the cobwebs off them. They never catch any fish.

By the side of each fisherman is parked a can full of worms having no end of fun, wriggling about and inventing new dance steps for giggles, playing tag, and making faces at the passers-by. We know one worm that crawled out of its tin and started for home, but was arrested at the end of the pier by a sparrow for passing a green traffic light when it was red.

It is a mistake to think that a fisherman can't come to life. You tap one on the shoulder and ask him if he has caught anything yet, but first be sure that you've got a clear run to the police station.



"What an awful place to run out of gas. We'll be stuck here for an hour."

SCHOOL OF MANNERS
FOR BUS CO.

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ly serving the Kowloon Tong and Homantin areas, and regarding which many complaints are said to have been received from residents, Mr. Lam proceeded to explain where possibly they had been at error in thinking that his Company had not been doing their best. He recalled that, formerly, direct connection with the Star Ferry was given not by one, but, two routes.

Since his Company took over control, however, it was compelled by the commitments of their contract with the Government to divert the No. 8 Route to the Jordan Road vehicular ferry, leaving No. 7 alone to serve the mass of the Kowloon Tong and Homantin residents for whom it had been more convenient to take the Star Ferry.

RUSH HOUR PRESSURE.

There had then developed naturally a general concentration, with a tendency to overcrowd on the single Star Ferry line, leading to a marked congestion on the No. 7 route at rush hours. Despite the addition of extra buses at these times, the situation was not relieved when, as often happened, office workers and school-children attending the many institutions that had begun to grow in these districts, all endeavored to crowd into the first bus to come along.

It was well, Mr. Lam commented, to call attention to (a) this diversion of one of the two feeder routes residents had become habituated to; and (b) this general tendency to overcrowd, lest these two facts were lost sight of in the general inclination to pick out flaws where in reality, those flaws were not of the Company's own making.

UNECONOMIC ROUTE.

Was this diversion in part, compelled by their contract, worth while? The Company's Secretary's settled view is that it was not, whether from the standpoint of convenience to residents of Kowloon Tong, or from that which was the Company's peculiar concern—revenue.

In support of his contentions he produced the following statistics compiled of monthly returns of passengers using the No. 8 Route since its diversion to the Jordan Road pier when the present Company took over management on June 11:

	1st Class	2nd Class
June 11-30	Nil	3,750
July	80	6,000
Aug.	80	4,800
Sept.	85	5,100

HEAVY LOSS.

The large number of 2nd class passengers shown by these returns in relation to the other class was explained by Mr. Lam to be due to the majority travelling only one way; from Kowloon Tong, but alighting at intermediate points.

On this comparatively little used Route four buses were being maintained at a daily average cost each of from \$30 to \$35, or a total monthly cost of over \$3,800. This was to be compared with the monthly receipts shown by the passenger returns of \$600—a heavy excess of expenditure over income which nevertheless had to be borne for so long, Mr. Lam said, as it was deemed desirable by the Government to continue each service.

FUTURE PLANS.

The Company's Secretary next outlined a number of proposals in his opinion making for an improvement in the present traffic system and necessarily for a smoother functioning of the various services as a whole.

One of these proposals is to merge the No. 4 with the No. 11 Route, this to be secured by extending the No. 11 Route now starting from Shamshuipo, to include Canton Road, Jordan Road, Jordan Road and Tokwanan (Bulley's Shipyard), and also taking in both the Hunghom and Kowloon City areas now being served by the other.

At the same time, he further suggested, the No. 5 Route (a highly unprofitable one as it now stands), may well be extended to the junction of Jordan with Gascoigne Road, in order to serve not only the points hitherto included, but also other localities now without a bus service. The full itinerary will then be as follows: Jordan Road and Gascoigne Road via Salisbury Road, Kimberley Road, Carnarvon Road, Shing Shing Street and Jordan Road.

It will then be possible to bring this route into uniformity of fares with the others by the two classes instead of only the First Class necessarily being asked for on the present shorter No. 5 Route; with the additional advantage of a much larger area being covered.

NEW BUSES.

On the New Territories where an increasing development is to

KOWLOON TAXI
INCIDENTYOUNG LONDONER
CHARGED

A sequel to an incident in a taxi alleged to have taken place on the Tsun Wan Road, was the appearance before Mr. Wynne Jones, the Kowloon Magistrate this morning of George Clarke, aged 21, of London, on charges of larceny from the person of \$4.10 and of assault.

Defendant was accused of having hired a taxi on Tuesday morning and after being driven to Castle Peak assaulted the driver near Tsun Wan on the return trip. The victim was then robbed of \$4.10, it is alleged. Two Indians who were stated to have been with Clarke have also been arrested but no charge has yet been brought against them. The defendant was remanded for 24 hours to verify a statement that he had recently arrived in the Colony by the Glenearn.

be looked for, a direct service is being proposed between Un Long and Taiipo. The present service from Un Long ventures only as far as Sheungshui; and the foot-wary traveller proceeding to Taiipo has to walk to Fanling there to board another bus on the road between that point and his destination. The extension suggested, will span the intervening gap between Sheungshui and Fanling, and connect the two existing lines. The points then enabled to be covered in a continuous journey will be Un Long—Sheungshui—Fanling—Taiipo.

These different proposals it is learned, are being considered in conjunction with the Police and the Kowloon Residents' Association, and if officially approved, will be put into effect with the least possible delay.

On the question of new and additional buses, the information was received with interest, that the Kowloon Bus Company are at present experimenting with different types of engines and bodies in order to discover the most suitable (a) for present urgent needs and (b) for the time (anticipated to be not far ahead) when a system making for a standard uniformity and attendant economy in running expenses, will be evolved for the network of routes covering Kowloon Proper and the outer territories.

A MENAGERIE.

The present fleet of buses, Mr. Lam describes as a menagerie of different types, but must necessarily be given their normal spell of existence. The present times do not favour any too ambitious commitment; but while waiting for the moment propitious to carrying out ultimate designs, the Company is laying the foundations.

In the selection of a suitable all-round service engine, it is considering the possibilities of Diesel crude oil engines.

A Gardner unit which has taken the place of an older gasoline engine in a 36-seater bus, appears to have responded well to recent tests, and if eventually adopted for the Company's standard requirements, is estimated to reduce fuel costs by about 80 per cent through the substitution of crude for refined oil.

NEW FLEET.

While these researches are being carried out, Mr. Lam claims that a present urgent need is about to be satisfied for the New Territories where a new fleet of 36-seater buses appears to be called for, and in respect of which the Company are now in communication with the responsible authorities. A British Leyland gasoline engine of which the Company are the agents, appears to meet local requirements, and its adoption is being considered.

THE NEW TERRITORIES.

Workshop and garage requirements are being served, Mr. Lam says, by a number of stations including the Company's own premises at Mongkok and the one it has leased from the previous Company at Kowloon City. These are to be further improved in the case of the Mongkok premises, which are also its head-offices, by the roofing over of the eastern side of the compound to provide more covered-in space for the Company's large fleet of vehicles; and in the case of the Kowloon City depot, by constructional work to cover part of the 60,000 sq. ft. of space available.

Un Long as the future centre envisaged for all New Territories routes, is already well served with a large depot; while another improvement that will be appreciated are proposed filling-stations at convenient points on the routes, doing away with the necessity of tanks being filled from the depots.

Ultimately, it is hoped to centralise the whole traffic system in one depot at Lai-chikok, but it is a detail not just now being considered beside other and more pressing work.

ACCOMPLISHED
DANCERSBALLROOM DISPLAY
AT H.K. HOTEL

1933 QUICK STEP

Ballroom dancing, one of the most neglected of the torpid sports in Hongkong, promises to receive a tremendous impetus as a result of the visit here of Mr. J. A. Andrews and Miss Ursula Preston.

Yesterday they made their first public appearance in the Colony when they gave an exhibition of the 1933 Quick-Step at the Hongkong Hotel tea dance.

A crowded Roof Garden gave them a vociferous welcome, and their polished display must have been an eye-opener to those strangers to the standard of dancing existing among the English ballroom professionals.

They introduced a novel note by inviting couples on to the floor after their demonstration, and individually showing how to perform the cross-over chase.

SUPERB TECHNIQUE.

Not only to the ordinary dancer, but to the student of ballroom dancing, Mr. Andrews and Miss Preston were a sheer delight. Their technique was above reproach and was obviously invested with the genius of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sylvester.

Enthusiasts would do well to note the footwork, balance, poise, rhythm and strict adherence to tempo, of Mr. Andrews and his partner. Equally illuminating is their demonstration of that most famous of all features of English ballroom dancing technique, the Contra-Body-Movement.

It is gratifying to know that these accomplished dancers will be in Hongkong for at least a month, during which time they will be making regular appearances at the Hongkong Hotel tea dances and later at the Peninsula Hotel dinner dances.—S.A.G.

"DISCOVERY" OFF
TO-MORROWFOR RESEARCH OF
THE ANTARCTIC

London, Oct. 19.

The royal research ship, "Discovery" II, leaves London on Saturday on a voyage to Antarctic waters for Oceanographic surveys and a research into the lives and habits of whales.

She will call at Tristan da Cunha with mails, afterwards proceeding to the Falkland Islands and South Georgia, where she will begin her lonely patrol of the fringe of the Antarctic continent.—British Wireless.

JAPANESE AIR
PREPARATIONSNEW BASES FOR
NAVY PLANES

Tokyo, Oct. 17.

Coincidentally with the partial subsidence of the latest Russo-Japanese war scare, the Navy announces the establishment of an early class of new naval air squadrons at Ominato, in northern Honshu, and at Sacki, in eastern Kyushu.

The establishment of an air squadron at Port Arthur also is under consideration.

All these points would be strategic in the event of hostilities with Soviet Russia, which has a strong naval and air base at Vladivostok.

DISARMAMENT

CABINET SUB-COMMITTEE
MEETS

London, Oct. 19.

The Disarmament Sub-Committee of Cabinet members, of which is included the Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Sir John Simon, and Lord Halifax, met at No. 10, Downing Street this afternoon.—British Wireless.

A debate on the subject "That capital punishment should be abolished" will be held on Tuesday, October 24, at 8.10 p.m., in Room K, in the main building of H.K. University. Mr. R. Wooley and Mr. Y. S. Chan, the proposers, will represent the University Arts Association, while the Graduate Association will be represented by Mr. S. V. Gittins and Dr. N. P. Karanjia. The meeting will be open to the public.

TRAFALGAR DAY

PROGRAMME OF
EVENTS

The programme of events for the celebration of Trafalgar Day (to-morrow) will be as follows:—8 a.m. Nelson's Signal hoisted on all H.M. Ships, British Merchant Ships dress ship overall, 11 a.m. Laying of Wreaths at the Cenotaph.

Parade of Naval detachments, representatives of the Navy, League, China Coast Officers' Guild, other organisations with Maritime interests and Sea Scouts, space will also be reserved for members of the Legislative and Executive Councils, and the Consular Body at the S.E. corner of the Cenotaph on the grass square, 11.15 a.m. Parade of Naval Gun's Crew with model of H.M.S. Victory round the City, accompanied by Lady Flng Seljers.

Trafalgar Day Race Meeting. By kind permission of the Stewards of the Jockey Club, Officers and men of the Royal Navy, Royal Naval Reserve, and Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, have been invited to attend. A Naval Officers' Scurry has been arranged and the combined bands of H.M. Ships Suffolk and Berwick will render appropriate selections.

7.30 p.m. Illumination of ships. Searchlight display etc.,

9.30 p.m.-3 a.m. Trafalgar Day Naval Ball at the Peninsula Hotel, 9.00 p.m. Dance in H.M.S. Tamar.

HONGKONG SUCCESSES AT
NANKING

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Tao Hing-lang (Fengtien); 2. Kwok Chun-hang (Hongkong); 3. Tso Hing-lung (Fengtien); 4. Shek Kam-pui (Canton). Time: 23 minutes 27 seconds (China record).

100 metres back stroke for men: 1. Lau Po-hay (Canton); 2. Chan Ching-ching (Canton); 3. Kwok Chun-hang (Hongkong).

There was a slight hitch in the hundred metres heat for ladies when a Hongkong competitor, Miss Lung Wing-han was disqualified for turning too soon. The Hongkong entry did not start. The decision and the matter was brought to the attention of the chief judge, Dr. C. T. Wang, the former Nanking Foreign Minister.

Volleyball section final: Shanghai defeated Canton after a keenly fought out game in which Shanghai proved superior and won all three games. Three thousand spectators were present.

Ladies basketball final: Shanghai defeated Canton by 35-23. The Shanghai team led at the first stage with the score of 10-11, but just before half time Canton reversed the score to 22-18 in the favour of the Southerners. After a fast last two minutes the Cantonese players were many times fouled and Shanghai won by 35-20.

In the baseball section Canton won from Shanghai, after a close contest, by 10-9.

Ladies' volleyball section semi-final: Shanghai defeated Canton by 3-0. In the other semi-final match Feking defeated the Hongkong ladies.—Wah Kiu Yat Po.

NANKING SPORTS
TROUBLEBasketball Team
Leaves Field

Nanking, Oct. 18.

The Canton girls to-day won the Indoor Basketball championship, defeating Shanghai in the final by a score of 11 to 10. The game was exciting throughout.

In the Girls' Volleyball semi-final, Shanghai defeated Canton by 3 to 0, Feking defeated Hongkong by 3 to 1. In the Men's Basketball semi-final, Shanghai defeated Canton under rather disturbing circumstances. There was considerable hissing as the crowd of spectators protested against the referee's alleged unfair decisions. A strong protest was made against one of the Shanghai guards frequently delaying the game by holding the ball, neither moving nor attacking. Before the game ended, the Canton team walked off the field in protest against the alleged unfairness of the referee who announced that Canton had forfeited and awarded the game to Shanghai 8-0.

It is understood that Canton has filed a protest to the meeting against the unfair decision.

In the other semi-final, Hoped defeated Nanking. If the decision of the referee is upheld by the Committee, Shanghai will meet Hoped in the final to-morrow.—Hester.

During Wednesday, one case of typhoid and one case of purpural fever were reported to the local health authorities.

The departure of the P. and O. liner Mantua, sailing for London via Singapore, has been delayed until 3 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. She was originally advertised to sail at noon.

RADIO
BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

A PIANOFORTE RECITAL
FROM THE STUDIO

4.30-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme.
7-10.30 p.m. European programme.
7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.3-8 p.m. Variety.
Song—Boozy Bill's Friendly Lead.
Band—Kiss by Kiss.
Band—The Turning of the Tide.
Song—My Gypsy Rhapsody.
Song—Gypsy, Sing for Me.
Jan Zalski (Tenor). MR951.
Organ Solo—Springtime Reminds me of You.
Organ Solo—You Are My Heart's Delight.

Vocal Duet—Letting in the Sunshine.
Vocal Duet—In a Little Second Hand Store.
Layton and Johnston. DB1161.
Instrumental—Marigold.
Instrumental—Musette.

Fred Hartley's Quintet. MR878.
Song—I Called to Say Goodnight.
Song—Moon Song.

The Velvet Voice. MR903.
Piano Solo—Have You Forgotten?
Piano Solo—Helen—Selection.
Billy Mayall. DB777.

Chorus—Dug-Out Ditties.
The Jolly Old Fellows. MR103.
8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.3-8.31 p.m. Concert Items.
Song—Callers Herri' (Nairne and Gow).
Song—Annie Laurie (Old Scottish Air).

Muriel Brunskill (Contralto). 917R.
Octet—On Wings of Song (Mendelssohn, arr. Seay).
Octet—Ave Maria (Bach-Gounod, arr. Seay).

J. H. Squire Colesta Octet. 927S.
Song—The Singer Was Irish.
Song—A Nation Once Again.

Peter Dawson (Bass). 510.
Violin Solo—Legendo (Wieniawski).
Arthur Catterall. 9359.

8.35-9 p.m. Orchestral.
Khovanchichina—Prelude (Moussorgsky).
Flight of the Bumble Bee (Rimsky Korsakov).

Sir Hamilton Harty conducting the Halle Orchestra. 9008.
In a Camp of the Ancient Britons (Kotlby).
Albert W. Ketelbey's Concert Orchestra. 9809.

The Merry Brothers (Gennin).
Echoes of the Valley (Gennin).
Sir Dan Godfrey conducting the Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra. 9821.

9-9.30 p.m. From the Studio.
A Pianoforte Recital by Mr. Harry Ore.

Programme.
1. Variations in F (Mozart).
2. Gavotte (Gluck-Brahms).
3. Cradle Song (Brahms-Grainger).
4. May Night (Palmgren).
5. Musette (Sibelius).
6. Fairy Tale (Medtner).
7. Rhapsody No. 8 (Liszt).

9.30-10.30 p.m. Dance Music.
Fox Trot—Moths Around the Candle Flame.
Fox Trot—Dancing Butterfly.

Waltz—All Over Italy. MR978.
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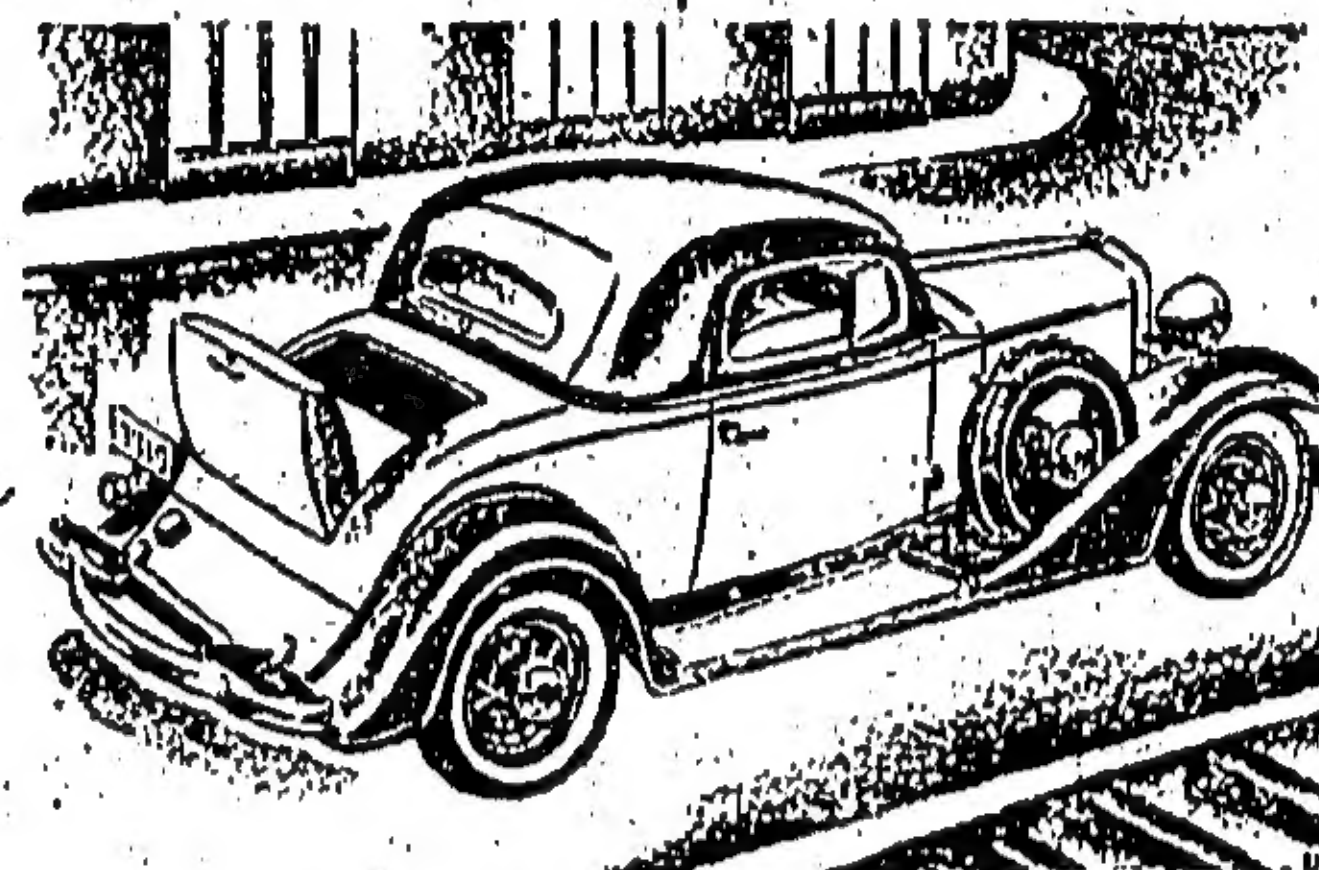
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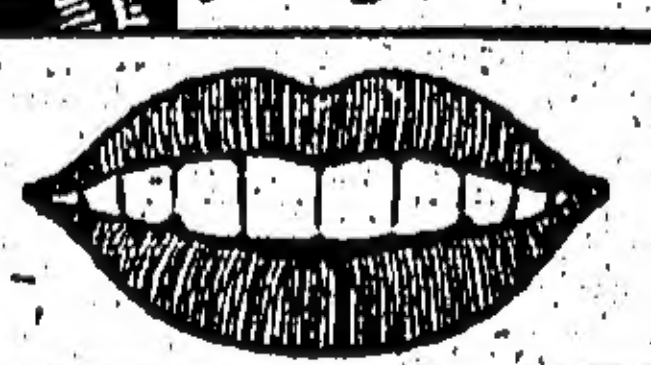


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COMPETITORS ALL KEYED UP

(By "Surfer")

Surfboard paddling looks like coming into its own in Hongkong this week.

The previous attempt publicly to popularise this sport was not altogether a rousing success, due to adverse conditions. But on Sunday the first real championship meeting of local surfboarders, with the calm waters of Causeway Bay as its venue, is assured of success.

Not only will conditions be ideal, but competitors, with experience behind them and each in the position to point to a record of regular and intensive training, will be tuned right up for the occasion.

THE BIG EVENT.

The big event of the programme is the half mile open. Although none of the competitors have been clocked over the full distance, times which have been recorded are within ten seconds of what the estimated best time will be on Sunday.

For instance Ted Paget has skinned through the water in his practices for approximately half a mile in 6 minutes 27 seconds.

Dick Maynard has covered the same course in 6.23, whilst Bill Butt has returned 6.25.

Lionel Roza-Pereira, paddling a strange board, has not yet been timed, but he has shown equal stamina and speed over the distance to that of Paget and Butt.

TWO DIFFERENT STYLES.

In view of this, the man who is in the best physical condition stands the better chance of winning. None the less it is reasonable to regard Paget, Roza-Pereira, Dick Maynard and Butt as the chief contestants. They are all fast starters, and this, in spite of another school of thought, is a distinct advantage.

However Bill Tanner, Wilfrid Lawrence, Ernle Lamert and George Goodwin stand by the theory of an easy start with long easy strokes for the first half of the race, working up to a burst of speed over the latter part of the course.

It will be interesting to see the result of this clash of methods. The Ladies' race over 100 yards has attracted the interest of the V.R.C.'s leading mermen. Miss Doris Hunt, Mrs. Jean MacMahon, Miss Betty Postonji, and the present title-holder, Miss Marie de Roza, will be among the starters, and from them should emerge the winner.

Certainly this will be a better race than the event at Repulse Bay. All of the ladies have shown marked improvement in handling their boards and consequently in speed.

If asked to select the winner I think I would nominate Miss de Roza to retain the title.

THE "VETERANS" AGAIN.

The "over 30" event once again figures on the card and this time it will assuredly be a race worth seeing. Most people confidently expect Geoffrey Lamert to avenge his defeat of last August. Conditions will be in his favour, for it is a sprint race over calm water.

Bill Tanner, the previous winner, will in fact, meet with opposition not only from Lamert, but from Johnny Soares. Bill had better look out!

The men's 100 yards dash is really the biggest guess and guess again event of the afternoon. Training results have been kept so quiet that one is unable to form any definite opinion as to the probable outcome.

But it is of interest to note that Wilfrid Lawrence is having made an exact replica of Lionel Roza-Pereira's new board "Sagana," and this will tremendously strengthen his challenge.

Ernie Lamert and Ted Paget are both recognised Speed Kings on surfboards in local waters, whilst Dick Maynard's chances cannot be overlooked. He has made unusually rapid strides since

FULL PROGRAMME.

Here is the full programme for Sunday afternoon:

Men's Open Half Mile
Men's Over 30, 100 yards
Ladies' Open 100 yards
Men's Open 100 yards
Boys' 100 yards
Ladies' 440 yards Relay Race
Men's 440 yards Team Race

The V.R.C. ladies team for the relay race will be: Miss Doris Hunt, Miss Betty Postonji, Miss Marie de Roza and Mrs. J. MacMahon.

The V.R.C. are entering two teams for the Men's Team Race, which will be comprised as follows:

1st team:—E. Paget, W. Lawrence, W. Butt and L. Roza-Pereira.
2nd team:—W. Tanner, R. Maynard, E. Lamert and L. Soares.

becoming a devotee of the sport, and his excellent physical condition will be another factor in his favour.

MYSTERIOUS BILL.
Finally, however, there is Bill Butt, already crowned sprint King of Hongkong. Bill has kept very "Brer Rabbit" about his trial runs, and nobody has been able to obtain any information concerning his new racer "Sagana V." Nevertheless it is known that he has broken 33 seconds over the course, which is not bad going.

But here's the point. It is equally well known that all of the above mentioned competitors have either made, or improved on 34 seconds, so that Bill hasn't very much to spare, if anything.

SCRAPPY GAME

HOCKEY WIN FOR BORDERERS

Y.M. THREE SHORT

The Y.M.C.A. Second XI suffered defeat by the odd goal in five when they met the second team of the South Wales Borderers on the U.S.R.C. ground yesterday. The game was scrappy throughout and featureless. Owing to the late arrival of the Y.M. players play did not commence until twenty-five minutes after the scheduled time and as a result only 20 minutes each way was played.

Even when the game started the "Y" were three players short, and Allen, who happened to be on the field, was brought in at right half.

In the first ten minutes, before the arrival of S. Fowler and Chadderton, the Borderers were two goals up, the scorers being Andrews and Inkley. They were constantly on the offensive.

When the Y.M.C.A. side was complete, play evened up and shortly before the interval Chadderton reduced the Borderers' lead.

In the second half play continued to be scrappy and each side met with one, Lieut. Richardson for the S.W.R. and Hewitt for the Y.M.C.A.

INCOGNITOS WIN.
In a friendly game on the Navy ground at King's Park the Incognitos defeated the Tamar by four goals to one. At half time the Incogs led by 1-0. Pinto notting.

After the interval Sousa scored twice and Xavier once for the Incognitos and the Tamar inside right replied for the sailors.

HONGKONG SUCCESSES AT NANKING

LADIES SWIMMING TITLE WON BY MISS YEUNG SAU-KING

Nanking, Oct. 19.
Canton captured the women's championship in the swimming section of the National Sports, and Hongkong was second. Hongkong won the girls' title in the same section.

Nanking, Oct. 19.
The hundreds of sportsmen from Hongkong, Canton, Shanghai and various provinces of China were guests at a dinner function last evening given by Mr. Wang Ching-wei. The Ministers and officials of the Executive Yuan also attended.

After expressing the highest appreciation of the excellent displays by the candidates, Mr. Wang Ching-wei appealed to the sportsmen to develop a healthy constitution as a primary means of creating a strong nation.

The competitors representing the leading swimming clubs of Hongkong and the Tungshan Aquatic Club in Canton did magnificently in the different swimming events, which were contested yesterday afternoon. Miss Yeung Sau-king, the well known local swimmer, won the 200 metres breast stroke final heat. Miss Lau So-let of Canton came in second and Miss Yeung Shau-chen third in the same

LINCOLNS' STABILITY TO BE TESTED

CAN THEY RETAIN 100 PER CENT?

KOWLOON MINUS JONES

FOR GAME WITH ST. JOSEPH'S

THE PROSPECTS

(By "Veritas")

With a 100 per cent. record from three matches putting them firmly at the top of the table, there are not a few football fans willing to back the Lincolns for senior league honours this year.

Personally I feel it is too premature to form any convictions in this direction. Firstly the Lincolns have to prove their stability. How often in the past have teams of the calibre of the Lincolns shown amazingly good form at the start of the season and then fallen to pieces against sides whom they should have wiped up?

This, perhaps, is one of the most distinctive features of the Chinese and European teams in Hongkong. If South China play a couple of really bad games in a season the matter is serious enough to call for concern among their supporters. With the European clubs, however, one looks in vain for any real consistency of form and from week to week they go in danger of defeat.

Furthermore it has to be remembered that now South China have been granted a reprieve regarding their broken October engagements they can re-enter the arena knowing that they start on level pegging in the championship race.

IN SPITE OF IT ALL.

Although I have been impressed with the Lincolns, must recognise the potentialities of the Borderers and acknowledge the tremendous improvement in the Athletic Club and Kowloon. I find it difficult to conceive South China being displaced from the championship.

To-morrow, there will be another "sorting out," however, a sort of "survival of the fittest" for several teams who have started the season with great promise will clash.

The Lincolns for instance receive the Club and this suggests however, the most attractive match on the card.

On normal form I am convinced that the Lincolns can beat the Club just as easily as they trounced the Borderers last Saturday. But the biggest test confronting the soldiers is to prove their consistency.

In the Club they meet a team whose style of play is somewhat different to that of the Borderers. A team whose weakest link in the half back line, who boast an

FORECAST.

FIRST DIVISION.

To Win—
Lincolns
Athletic
To Draw—
R. Artillery
St. Joseph's

SECOND DIVISION.

To Win—
S. China
Young Indians
Borderers
Lincolns

THIRD DIVISION.

To Win—
Lincolns
R.A.S.C.
S. China
Borderers
To Draw—
University

average defence and a real lively forward line.

If Cork and his men can take the sting out of the Club attack, the Lincolns will have got half-way towards another two points. In any case, with Ridley, McGuinness and Higgins to counter-balance the Club forwards, the Lincolns can be expected to win. Caroline Hill is the venue for another interesting clash, where St. Joseph's, last week's conquerors of the Navy, oppose Kowloon.

Kowloon will take the field minus the services of Jones, their Tientsin Interport centre-half, and this has meant a re-shuffling in positions.

Timberlake, ordinarily an inside left, goes to the pivotal position. He played there for the second string last week and so is not an entire stranger to the position. This brings in Webb at inside left. Otherwise the team remains as before, with Lewis and Elliott constituting the main spring of the attack.

So far as I know St. Joseph's remain the same as last week. This combination, strengthened by the inclusion of the Gosano brothers, fairly outplayed the Navy, and Kowloon, although they have given praiseworthy displays this season, will have to strike their best form to avert defeat.

ATHLETIC SHOULD WIN.

On the Railway Ground, the Athletic and Navy meet. The Navy line-up is weekly such a doubtful proposition that one hesitates either to suggest their defeat or success.

With them anything might happen as witnesses firstly their triumph over the Club followed by their reverse last Saturday.

On the other hand the Athletic are settling down into a useful eleven, and their superior combination may very well turn the tables in their favour.

As a result of the re-arrangement of games, all league matches will be played to-morrow, and there will be no programme for Sunday.

Some of the teams who will be on duty to-morrow are:

FIRST DIVISION.

Kowloon:—Cord, Hill and Willis; Whitfield, Timberlake, and Bliss; Owen Davies, Lewis, Elliott, Webb and Blake.

Club:—Fogwell; Hynes and S. Strange; Robertson, Skinner, and A. Duncan; Fowler, Dominy, Howe, E. Strange and Bickford. Reserve:—Watson.

SECOND DIVISION.

Kowloon:—Cook; Everest and J. Winch; Cutler, Tillery, and Duffield; Whitman, Boyes, G. White, G. Winch and White.

Club:—Angus; Low and Ralston; McKellar, Boyd and Gamble; Fisher, Bell, Duncan, Williamson and Sloan. Reserve:—Dunhill, Farrow and Williams.

L.R.C. TENNIS TOURNAMENT

ENTRIES CLOSE ON SUNDAY

Members of the Ladies Recreation Club are reminded that entries for the annual tennis tournament close on Sunday next, October 22.

Entry forms may be obtained from the club house.

Another Rugby Star Turns "Pro"

GASCOIGNE JOINS HALIFAX

Following the recent departure of their international hooker, R. S. Roberts, to Huddersfield, the Coventry Rugby Club have suffered another great loss, for Albert Gascoigne has now signed professional forms for Halifax.

Gascoigne, who is 25 years of age, has played in nearly 200 matches for Coventry and regarded as one of the best scrum halves in the game. He has also been a regular member of the Warwickshire County XV, for five years.

"The offer was so good," said Gascoigne, "that for the sake of my future I could not refuse it." Assertions have been made that the Rugby Union were very perturbed at the frequent defections of their players and that some action might be taken at the committee meeting due to be held yesterday. After this meeting the only statement issued to the Press was the following:

A great lack of unanimity among referees has been observed in applying Laws 16 and 17. It was decided that a circular be sent out to all Referees' Societies, and also posted in dressing-rooms, drawing attention to particular points regarding putting the ball into scrums and offside.

The Perfect Interport Cricket XI

CORRESPONDENT'S SELECTIONS

The Sports Editor, Hongkong Telegraph.

Sir:—As a keenly interested spectator of cricket for many years in the Colony, and having seen all the "Possibles" on the cricket field on many occasions, I take the liberty of suggesting the following team against Shanghai and Malaya which might help to solve the problem for the selection committee:

A. W. Hayward
T. A. Pearce
E. C. Finch
C. C. Garthwaite
P. V. Williams
E. F. Finch
A. C. Hamilton
A. R. Minu
G. C. Burnett
E. R. Duckitt
G. S. Dunkley

Most people cannot but agree that there is not a weak link in this side. It comprises eight recognised leading batsmen in the Colony, seven bowlers, and the best wicket keeper. Even the "Tail," if one might call it that, is liable to make runs and all the above players are excellent fielders.

Yours etc.,
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CURIOUS MAMAK ACTION

M.C.C. DRAW WITH KARACHI.

C. F. WALTERS SCORES A CENTURY.

Karachi, Oct. 19.
A century by C. F. Walters and an aggressive innings of 90 by Bakewell were the features of the two-day match here between the M.C.C. tourists and a local team.

The M.C.C. scored 362 for the loss of eight wickets, after which the declaration was applied. Karachi replied with 89; and, following on, saved the game by scoring 112 for 4 wickets.—*Reuter.*

NEXT WEEK'S HOCKEY

MAMAK LEAGUE & FRIENDLIES

The following are some of the principal Mamak League and friendly hockey matches arranged for next week.

MAMAK TOURNAMENT.

OCTOBER 22.

C.B.A. v K.I.T.C., King's Park, b.o. 9.30 a.m.
K.I.T.C. v Gardial Singh: Karnail Singh, P.J. Naidu; G.M. Khan, Waryam Singh, K. Hussain; I.M. Singh, Harbajan Singh, A.L. Souza, D. Noronha, H.M. Singh, Rosserves, F. Khan and Hazara Singh.

Radio v H.K. Mule Corps, Caroline Hill, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

OCTOBER 24.

R.A.M.C. v 12th Battery, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

OCTOBER 25.

German Club v Royal Signals, Marina, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

FRIENDLIES.

OCTOBER 21.

Radio v H.M.S. Bruce, Caroline Hill, b.o. 4 p.m.

Radio:—Man Singh; Karnail Singh, J. S. Grewal; A. B. Kitchell, Mohinder Singh, V. J. Chanson; Wong So, N. Osman, Awar Singh, Attur Singh, Ma Cheung-ying, Reserves:—Lo So, Lam Sik, Chong Kai, Lun Wai-ling.

OCTOBER 22.

C.B.A. v K.I.T.C., King's Park.

C.B.A. v Hongkong Club, C.B.A.

OCTOBER 24.

Radio v Club de Recreo, Caroline Hill, b.o. 5.10 p.m.
Y.M.C.A. 1st XI v South Wales Borderers 1st XI, King's Park, b.o. 5 p.m.

C.B.A. v Incognitos, C.B.A.

OCTOBER 25.

Police v R.A.S.C., Mongkok, b.o. 4.30 p.m.
South Wales Borderers v Hongkong Club, Chatham Road, b.o. 6.15 p.m.

OCTOBER 26.

St. Andrew's v Jai Regiment, Marina, b.o. 5.15 p.m.

OCTOBER 27.

Radio v University, Caroline Hill, b.o. 5 p.m.

TROPHY TO BE RETURNED TO DONOR

IS IT WISEST COURSE?

DEPRIVING RADIO OF HONOUR

By "Bully-Off"

THE decision of the Mamak Tournament Executive Committee to return the Mamak Shield to the donor came as a surprise to me, and I consider it questionable policy on their part to have resorted to such a move. I see no reason whatever why the trophy should not have been officially handed over to the Radio Sports Club, the present holders, for them to retain until such time as permission is or is not granted by the Powers That Be for trophy competitions to be played in the Colony.

It seems as though the M.H.T. committee, now they are deprived of having the trophy in competition, have no interest whatever in the fate of the shield. It has been suggested that the reason the shield was handed back was because the committee did not care to shoulder the responsibility of having such a valuable piece of plate in their possession or to bear the cost of insuring it. If that is the case their action is scarcely complimentary to Mr. Mamak, the donor.

St. Andrew's Ladies are to lose two of their regular players this year. I refer to Mrs. R. Rose who will shortly be returning to the Colony and Miss M. Bryson. The former will, I understand, take up residence at Tytam and will have difficulty in getting to the matches. Miss Bryson is joining the C.B.A.

THE Y.M.C.A. ladies have many new players on their list, chief among them being Mrs. Holbith, who formerly played in the Poochow Mixed XI. She will be a great asset. Other newcomers are Miss J. Yeller, Mrs. K. Clark, Miss Kusals, Mrs. Read, who was included in the Hongkong Ladies' side two seasons ago, Mrs. Roger, Miss J. Wilson and Miss M. Smith.

H.M.S. Whitehall is not to be allowed to enter a team in the Mamak Tournament this year because application was not made within the specified time. The Whitehall has been to the North on her summer cruise and returned to the Colony only a few days ago. In view of these circumstances I think the Committee might have stretched a point and allowed their entry to go through.

FOR the next couple of months the C.B.A. will be without the services of S. MacNider, one of their stalwart defenders. He is at present in Hospital with a fractured jaw. MacNider, who has been playing at left back and left half back alternately, will be badly missed.

LEUT. R. I. Alexander-Sinclair, of H.M.S. Barwick, has joined the Hongkong Club and will be seen in action at inside right probably during the coming week. Lieut. Sinclair has had considerable experience of the game, at Home and won his Navy cap at the end of last season. He should strengthen the Club forward line which at present is an outstanding weakness.

ST. ANDREW'S CLUB. Annual Hockey Dinner And Dance.

Unqualified success attended the second annual hockey dinner and dance of the St. Andrew's Club held in St. Andrew's Church Hall last night. The Rev. W. Walton Rogers (President of the Club) presiding. Over fifty sat down to an excellent repast, following which there was dancing, the music being supplied by gramophone, kindly loaned by the Tsang Fook Piano Company. The hall was tastefully decorated for the occasion.

Guests present included Mr. B. Wyllie (Vice-President), and Mrs. Wyllie, and Mr. J. V. Baldwin, also a Vice-President.

During the evening it was announced that N.A.E. Mackay's team had won the Club's seven-a-side hockey tournament, organized last season, while, opportunely, was also taken to distribute prizes won in recent badminton competitions, as follows:—Ladies: Doubles, Misses A. Landolt and G. A. White; Men's: Doubles, M. Woll and F. V. Wong; Mixed: Doubles, B. Zimmerman and Miss F. A. Lee.



Miss E. N. S. Dickon of Oxfordshire defeated Miss Mary Whitmarsh of Surrey in the final of the Girls' Junior Tennis Championship at Wimbledon this year. Here Miss Dickon is seen in action during the match, and inset after receiving the cup. (Planet News)

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The name of Myrna Loy has always conjured the exotic fragrance of incense burners, visions of Oriental loveliness, bizarre pictures of the mystic East. And yet her name isn't Loy at all but Williams, plain, unadorned American Williams of rugged Montana ranch stock. Now that she has escaped casting in exotic roles, Myrna is glad that somebody found her out at last.

"I was always afraid I would be found out and lose my exotic reputation," she laughs. "Now I'm happy that I got rid of it and can play straight American, leading-lady roles that give me an opportunity to do something more than smirk and look mysterious."

Miss Loy, who plays her latest part in "When Ladies Meet," isn't slant-eyed or Oriental of cast. As a matter of fact she is a distinctly American girl type with freckles. Her appearance as an Oriental dancer, she recalls, resulted in her first film role and her "typing" as an exotic creature.

"It was fun then," she says. "The characters were interesting and I seriously studied to make them real. In fact, I think I studied them too well. I read Oriental philosophy and tried to steep myself in Oriental thinking. I didn't know then how difficult it would be to break away from the type I was perfecting."

Her change in screen type has been accompanied by an equally impressive change in her own personality. Four years ago, when she was playing heartless sirens, she was one of Hollywood's most timid souls.

"But I got over that, too," she adds. "I had to, I was making myself too miserable trying to live up to my mysterious reputation."

Ann Harding and Robert Montgomery are co-starring in "When Ladies Meet," which opens on Sunday at the Queen's Theatre. Harry Beaumont directed from the Rachel Crothers stage hit with the supporting cast including Alice Brady, Frank Morgan, Martin Burton and Luis Alberni.

"Moonlight and Pretzels"

Picked by a distinguished group of American artists and illustrators as Broadway's "fifty most perfect show girls," a chorus seldom equalled for beauty and precision either on stage or screen, appears in "Moonlight and Pretzels," the Universal screen musical comedy now playing at the King's Theatre.

They were selected from the combined ensembles of the New York musical comedy triumphs, "Strike Me Pink," "Take A Chance," and "The Gay Divorcee" by a jury of feminine beauty experts composed of James Montgomery Flagg, John La Mota, Russell Patterson, Jefferson MacHammer, Arthur William Brown, and Hal Phyllo. The girls were trained and put through their paces before the cameras by none other than Bobby Connolly, America's premier dance director whose clever and intricate routines have contributed to the success of scores of New York musical comedy and screen hits.

What is undoubtedly the greatest galaxy of stage, screen and radio stars ever brought together in one show appear in "Moonlight and Pretzels." Roger Pryor, who triumphed as the columnist in the stage production of "Blessed Event," Mary Brian, Leo Carrillo, Lillian Miles, Alexander D'Amico, Claire, the Four Elton Boys, and Frank and Milt Britten's famous comedy band are only a few of the headlines that appear in the picture which Karl Freund and Monte Brice co-directed.

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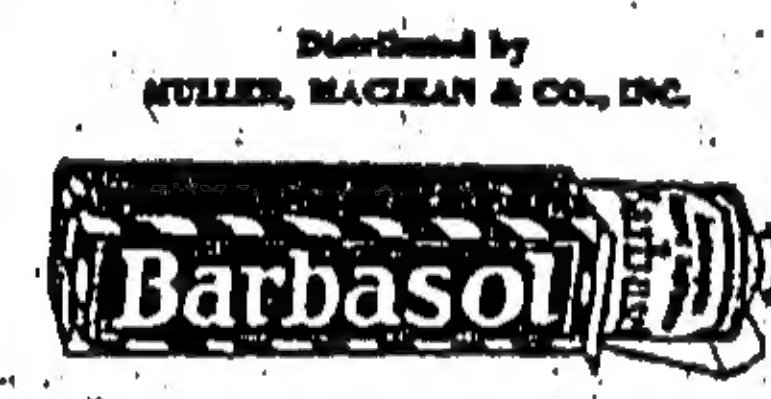
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By Order

C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

Hongkong, 19th October, 1933.

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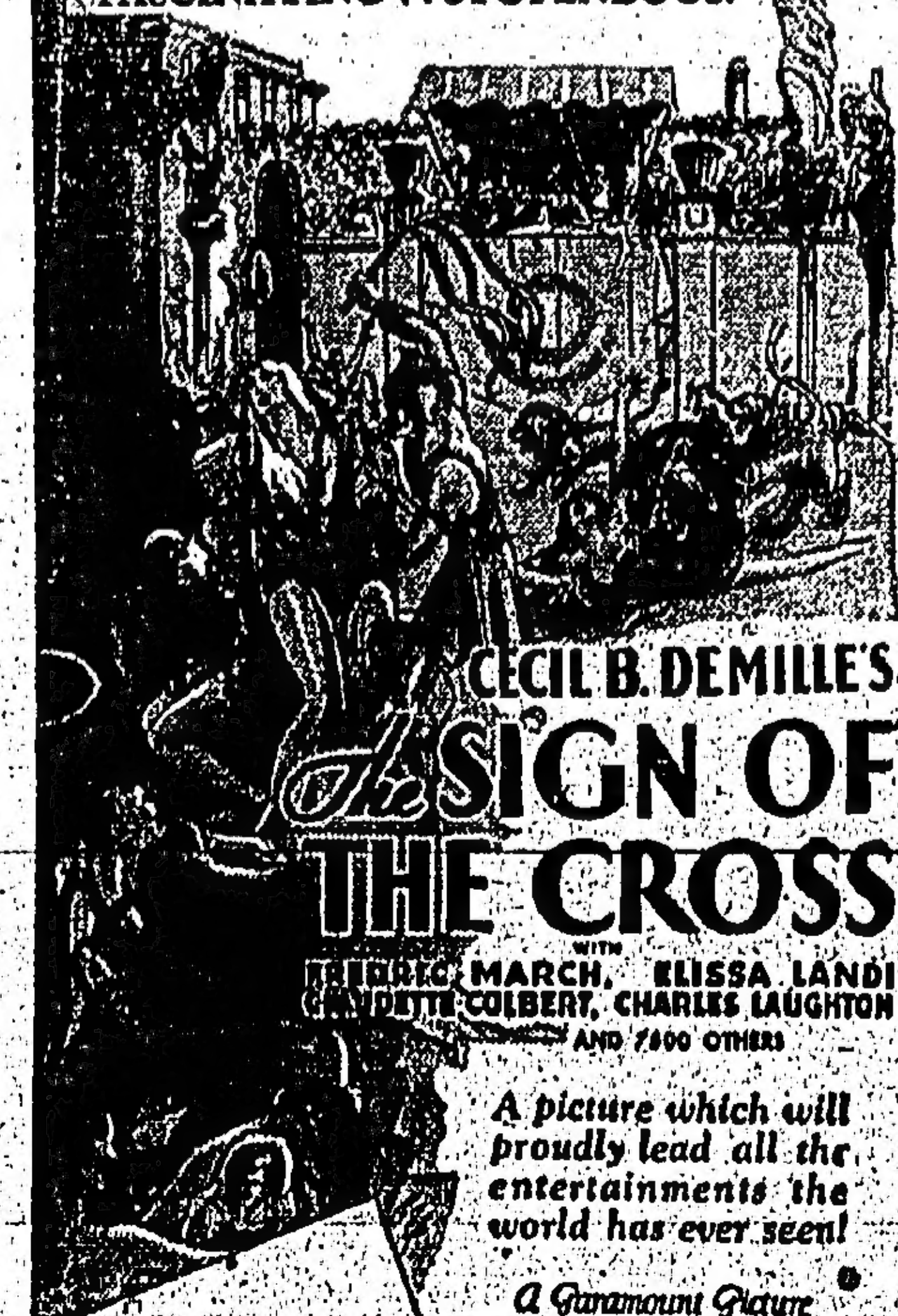


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Most of the contracts were defeated, but one pair succeeded in making four hearts, and that is the only suit in which game can be made.

The Bidding

After passes by South and West, North opened with one spade. East overcalled with two clubs and South bid two hearts. North rebid the spades and East bid three clubs.

This time South showed his second suit with a bid of three diamonds, and West assisted his partner's clubs to four. North bid four hearts, an excellent bid, and one which deserved to win.

Although North had better support for diamonds, his partner was marked with five cards in each suit, and any heart losers would also have to be lost with diamonds as trump. The major suit requires one trick less, and was therefore the better chance for game.

Four hearts became the final declaration, and West did not double because he feared his opponents would find a better contract. As the hand worked out, five clubs would have been an excellent sacrifice bid, but West did not make it because he fully expected to defeat four hearts.

The Play

West opened the dummy of clubs which East won with the queen.

♠A-K-5-3-2	♥Q-7-6	♦K-Q-6	♣A-5-4
♠6-4	♥A-K	♦J-10-8	♣A-K
♠3-2	♥J-9	♦6-2	♣Q-10
♠J-10	♥8	♦5-4	♣8-3
♠9-7	♥5	♦A-K	♣Q-10
♠8-3	♥A-K	♦J-10-9-5-4	♣7
♠7	♥J-10-9-5-4	♦A-7-4-3-2	♣7

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heart toward dummy's queen.

West wisely refused to win the trick, hoping to entice the declarer into another heart lead.

If declarer should make this mistake, West would take two heart tricks and lead a club, which could force out declarer's last heart and leave West with the only remaining trump.

However, when the eight of hearts fell from East, South correctly read it as a singleton, and placed all the remaining hearts in the opposite hand. According to this count, West must have held four hearts originally, and the lead of the club suit marked him with our in that suit.

If his remaining five cards were three diamonds and two spades, the contract could still be made. With any other distribution, West would be able to ruff one of those suits before declarer or dummy, and thus make his small trump.

Declarer played two rounds of spades and three rounds of diamonds, winning the third with the ace in his own hand. The fourth diamond was then led and West was helpless. Whether he ruffed high or low, or not at all, his only remaining tricks were the ace and king of hearts.

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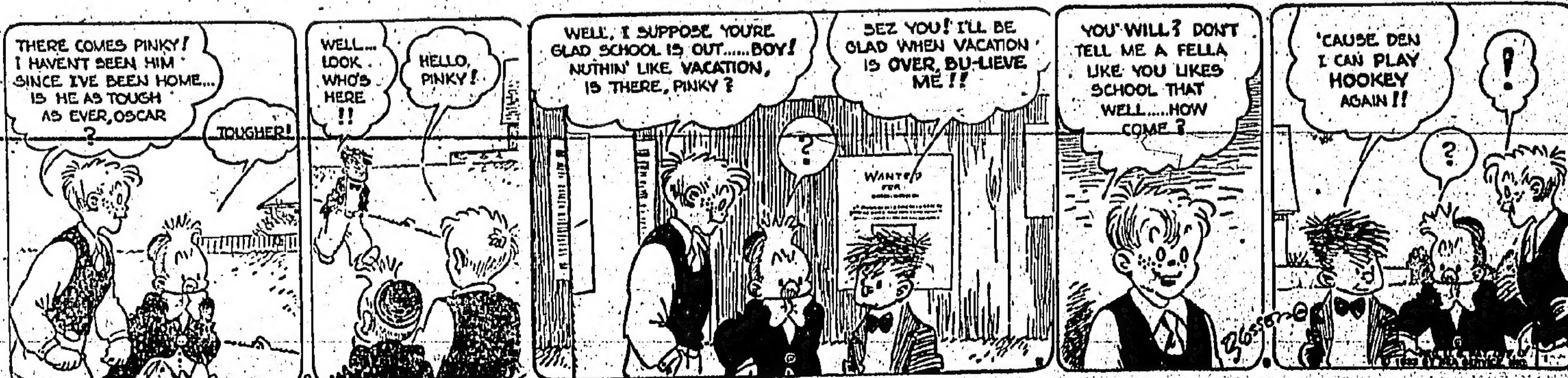
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It may be recalled that the new hospital building with its up-to-date design equipment was opened in May of last year.

One of the principal objects of the Hongkong Sanatorium Ltd. is to reorganise and enlarge the various medical services of this well known hospital. It is a matter of common knowledge that the Yeung Wo in the past was very well supported by both the Chinese community and the Chinese medical practitioners of the Colony. Another declared object is that no charity surgical and charity maternity wards will be perpetuated and augmented, while the free out-patient clinic will be opened daily with extended hours.

It is learned that the name of Yeung Wo Hospital is being continued and that Dr. Li Shu Fan the former chairman of directors, is once more returned as chairman of directors of this new enterprise.

**"SHADOWS BY THE
SEA"**

(Continued from Page 5.)

"And—and what shall I do—(ill) you come back?"

A twinge of pleasure shot through him. That hint of dependence from a girl of grit was a considerable compliment.

"Do what you'd do without my telling," he answered. "Sit tight and keep your courage up."

"I'll do that."

"Don't I know you will?"

"You—help me to."

She turned abruptly, and was gone again. Leonard looked after her, then swung round to Jim.

"Well, come along, youngster," he exclaimed. "That is, if you're game to face it again?"

"Yessir," replied Jim. "I'll take yer there."

"Good man! You've got pluck, too, eh? Like your mistress?"

They left the hotel grounds, and walked briskly down the road. Jim's legs, had they been by themselves, would have become a little less brisk as they neared the bush-fringed gap that led down to the sands, but Leonard would tolerate no slackening, feeling indeed that they had delayed rather too long already.

They descended the gap.

"E's feet at the bottom, sir," whispered Jim.

"Is he?" replied Leonard. "I don't see him."

Jim rubbed his eyes. The well-dressed gent who had been lying dead on the rocks twenty minutes ago was gone.

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COMORIN	15,000	18th Nov.	Bombay, M'ses & L'don
HITHAL	15,000	2nd Dec.	Bombay, M'ses & L'don
SOMALI	6,800	9th Dec.	M'ses, Havre, L'vior, H'burg,
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YOM LI	6,800	1st Nov.	S'hai, Kobe & Yokohama
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CHITRAL	15,000	3rd Nov.	S'hai, Kobe & Yokohama
R. NOHI	17,000	17th Nov.	S'hai, Kobe & Yokohama
SIRHANNA	8,000	17th Nov.	Amoy, S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka
HANGALORE	6,000	30th Nov.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
CARTHAGE	15,000	1st Dec.	S'hai, Kobe & Yokohama
NALDERA	15,000	15th Dec.	S'hai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama
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RADICAL RULE

CAPITAL CONTROL IN AMERICA

Washington, Oct. 19. There is every indication that the Administration is tending to become more radical, and that capital is likely to be controlled in addition to wages, commodity prices and production costs.

Business men criticize a situation where capital cannot be employed owing to the uncertainty of the times, and new legislation controlling fresh issues is countered by the statement that free use of money is no longer permitted. This encourages the belief that financial houses, the stock exchange and produce exchanges will be subjected to drastic regulations.

Meanwhile figures have been gathered by a conference of statisticians which show that the increase in distribution of manufactures in September was less than the seasonal total volume of sales, declining by 10 per cent. compared with 1932.

An energetic "Buy Now Campaign" is proceeding to combat this decline.

The Edison electrical plant in New Jersey gave each employee five dollars over his weekly pay with the injunction to spend the bonus immediately in order to stimulate trade.

It is believed that the recent check of business is a reaction to the artificial boom of early summer.

Employment Figures.

Employment in America shows a real improvement. The Secretary of Labour claims that 620,000 were re-absorbed during Septem-

"THE IDEAL COUPLE."

FAIRBANKS DENIES STORY OF DIVORCE

Casa Blanca, Oct. 19. Douglas Fairbanks on arrival here gave a "quietus" to the report that Hollywood's "Ideal Couple" are going to be divorced. Fairbanks said he and Mary Pickford are going to remain married.—Reuter.

The lighter side of the recovery programme is revealed by President Roosevelt's embargo on imports of so-called medicinal liquor. He rejected the proposal to permit the importation of liquor in bond until sales were legalised, probably on December 5.

Merchants sought permission recently to import 3,000,000 gallons of medicinal liquor for the "Christmas trade." The embargo costs the revenue department U. S. \$20,000,000.—Reuter.

Salary Probe.

Washington, Oct. 19. The Federal Trade Commission announced to-day that it is shortly starting an investigation of the size of salaries of all American business leaders.

The Commission has sent a questionnaire to 2,000 corporations, requesting returns by October 23. The questionnaire asks for the salaries of all officials of companies with capital exceeding \$1,000,000.—Reuter.

WOMAN TO HANG

JUDGE HOLDS NO HOPE FOR CONDEMNED

Shanghai, Oct. 19. The Shanghai Evening Post declares that Katherine Hadley, who is under sentence of death for the murder of Captain Walter Youngs, is unlikely to appeal against the verdict, partly owing to lack of funds.

Judge Grant Jones, in sentencing the prisoner, said that he could not see any reason whatsoever why she should not pay the extreme penalty and there were no grounds for interference with the course of the law on his part.

Further, Judge Grant Jones stated "I cannot hold out any hope for a remission of the sentence."—Reuter.

FANG RETIRES

LIVING IN SECRET IN TIENTSIN

Peking, Oct. 19. The latest Chinese reports state that General Fang Chen-wu arrived in Tientsin last night, but his abode there is being kept a strict secret.

More than 4,000 troops from General Fang's former command have been selected for service as regulars, and have left for Pao-tung for training. Another 6,000 have been disbanded and disbanded.

Chinese reports assert that 4,000 troops belonging to General Tang Yu-lin, who recently arrived near the Great Wall, are very active. Government troops are reported to be closely watching their movements.—Reuter.

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Oulu	19.50	19.50
Alma	560	570
Milan	90.3/10	90.3/10
Buenos Aires	44 1/2	45 1/2
Shanghai	1/8 1/4	1/8 1/4
New York	4.68 1/2	4.64
Amsterdam	7.83	7.83
Vienna	28 1/2	28 1/2
Prague	109 1/2	108 1/2
Madrid	87 1/2	87 1/2
Bucharest	543	540
Hongkong	1/5 1/10	1/5
Brussels	22.75 1/2	20.73 1/2
Stockholm	10.40	10.40

MINISTER'S VISIT.

MR. ARIYOSHI ARRIVES IN PEKING

Peking, Oct. 19. Mr. Ariyoshi, Japanese Minister, arrived here at 8.45 p.m. to-day and expects to spend about a month here during which time he will confer with General Huang Fu regarding the Sino-Japanese situation in North China.—Reuter.

Lisbon	104 1/2	105
Bombay	1/6 3/4	1/6 3/4
Yokohama	1/2 1/4	1/2 1/4
Montevideo	30 1/2	30 1/2
Montreal	4.78	4.68 1/2
Silver (spot)	18.1/10	18.1/10
Silver (forward)	18 1/2	18 1/2
War Loan	101 1/2	101 1/2

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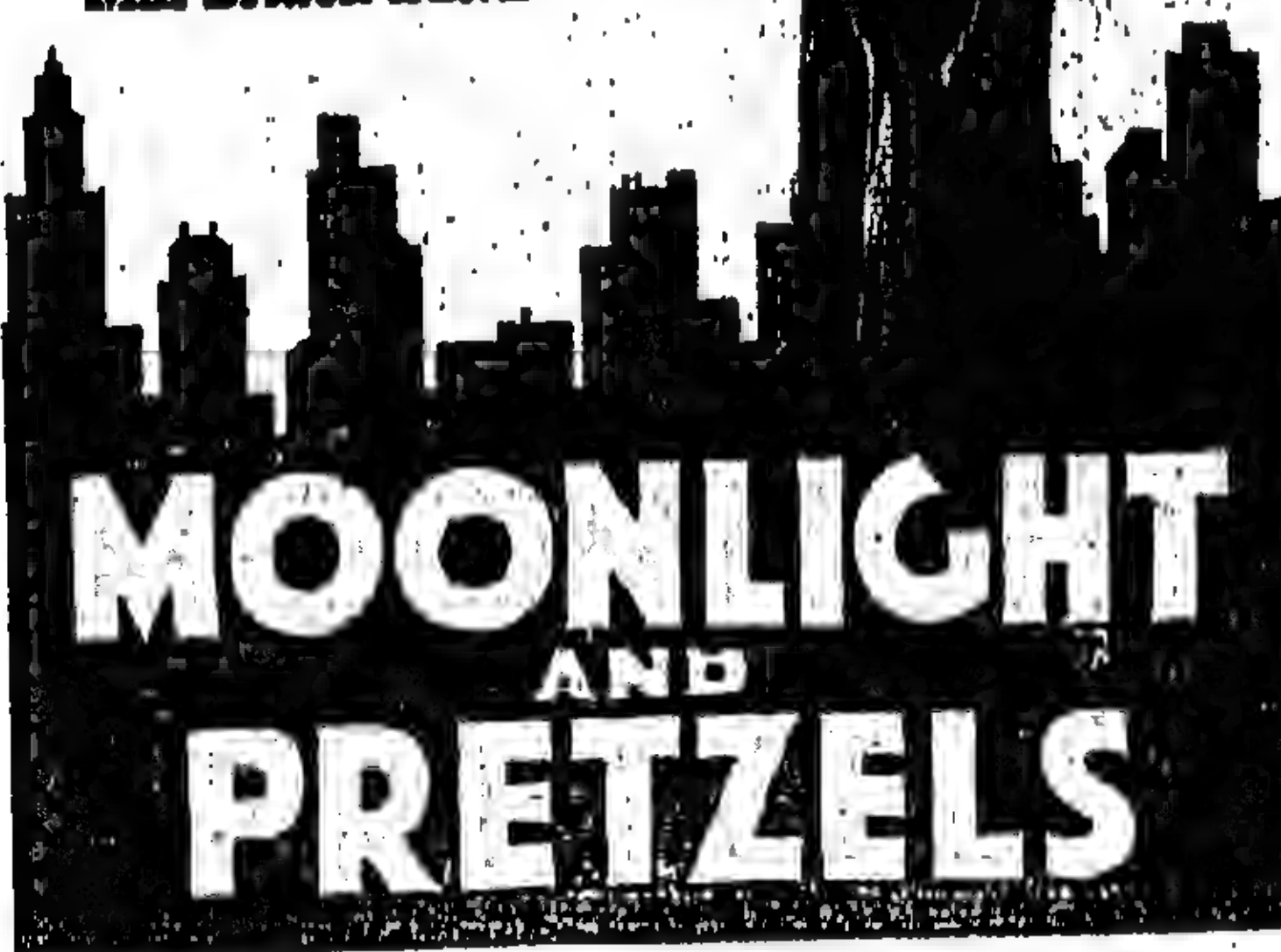
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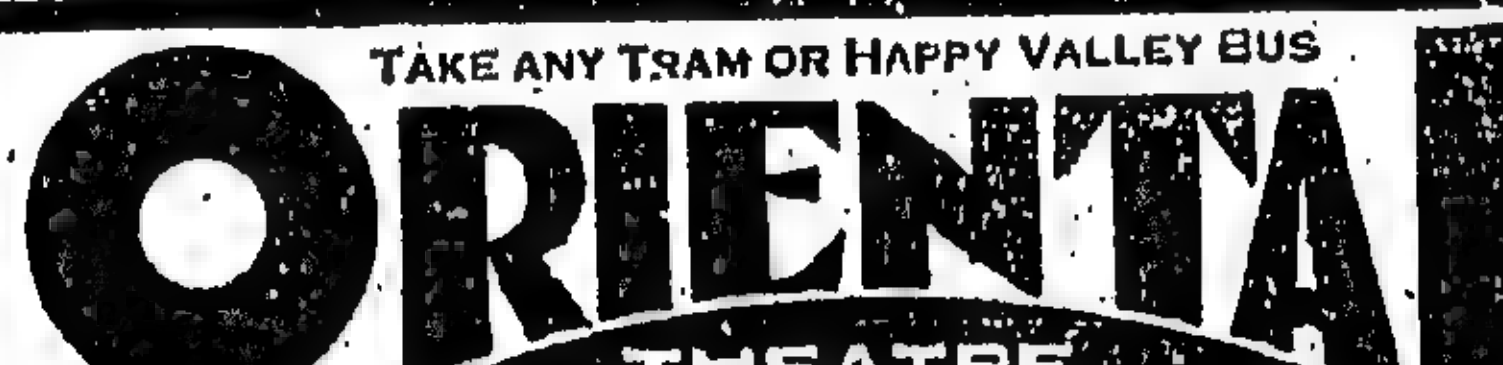
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GERMANY AND THE LEAGUE

Resignation Formally Forwarded

Berlin, Oct. 20.
The German Government has officially notified the Secretary-General of the League of Nations of Germany's withdrawal.
The resignation will not take effect for two years, but it is not Germany's present intention to participate in its activities meantime.—*Router*.

MR. HEARD IN BAD SMASH

LUCKY ESCAPE IN HAPPY VALLEY

CAR COMPLETELY WRECKED

Mr. A. J. P. Heard, the well-known jockey, had a remarkably narrow escape from serious injury when his V8 Ford saloon car came into violent collision with a lorry at the junction of Shan Kwong and Village Roads about 9 o'clock this morning.
As a result of the collision, Mr. Heard suffered several nasty injuries to his face, and received treatment in hospital. The driver of the lorry, Li Chu, received a cut on his left knee, and also had the muscle of his arm twisted.
The collision occurred just at the foot of the hill leading up to the Jockey Club stables. Mr. Heard was driving his car up to the stables along Shan Kwong Road and met the lorry at right angles. The lorry was proceeding along Village Road from East to West.
GOOD SPEED.
It seems certain that both vehicles must have been driven at a good speed. The lorry after striking the car squarely on its left front wheel carried it bodily to the far side pavement at the foot of the hill before coming to a standstill.
The right front wheel of the lorry finished under the left front wheel of the car, lifting it up to a position of about 45 degrees. The left front running board, cab, and engine of the car were completely smashed in.
It was only the safety glass of the car which saved Mr. Heard from receiving more serious injuries.

ROAD STREWN WITH WRECKAGE

There was a long and distinct skid mark made by the small car on the road. Apparently Mr. Heard must have seen the lorry at almost the last minute and applied his brakes violently causing it to skid to the point where the lorry struck.
The lorry is owned by the Yuet Hing Restaurant, and contained a load of crockery and food, which was strewn in wild disorder on the road, a good part of the crockery being splintered. The whole of the area immediately round the smash was strewn with wreckage, including bits of the smaller car, which was completely wrecked.

GOES TO HOSPITAL

Immediately after the collision Mr. Heard proceeded to the No. 2, Police Station, and from there went to hospital to have his injuries dressed, saying he would make a report later.
The driver of the lorry was at the station, and interviewed by a representative of the *Telegraph*, said that he had practically stopped his lorry at the junction when it was struck by the car.
Notice has been given of the forthcoming marriage of Mr. James Alexander Green, vice-President of the Drug Co., Manila, to Miss Dorothy Frances Harris.

GENERAL STRIKE ORDERED

SECRET MEETING HELD AT ST. PAUL'S

ULTIMATUM ISSUED TO NATION

WASHINGTON, OCT. 19.
AMERICAN FARMERS ARE IN REVOLT AND ARE THREATENING DRASTIC ACTION FOLLOWING THE FAILURE OF THE RECOVERY PROGRAMME TO RELIEVE THEIR POSITION.

An ultimatum has been issued from St. Paul, in the heart of the Middle West, declaring:

"We will pay no taxes and will pay no interest until we have first cared for our families. We will pay no interest-bearing debts until we receive the cost of production for our products. We will buy only that which complete necessity demands. We will not sell our products unless we receive the cost of production, but we will exchange our products with labour and the unemployed for things we need."

The Farm Holiday Association at St. Paul's has called a general strike in the farming industry to take effect at noon on Saturday.

WIDESPREAD DISSATISFACTION

The decision reflects the dissatisfaction of the farmers with the progress made by the Recovery Administration. Unrest is growing among the farmers in all parts of the country.
The primary object of the Farm Holiday Association's call for a general strike is to compel President Roosevelt to formulate a code for agriculture and also to raise prices of farm produce by a stoppage of the supplies.

SECRET MEETING.
A secret meeting of the Directors at St. Paul drafted the ultimatum to the nations refusing to pay taxes or debts.
The extent of the strike is highly problematical although there is no doubt that farm unrest is general throughout the Middle West.

WORSE NOT BETTER!
The Farm Union, in Montana has asked the Governor to declare an embargo on wheat while the

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INFLATION URGED

Meanwhile, Senator Norris has told the Administration in Washington that the farmers are losing confidence in the government as prices have increased and incomes have dropped.
Senator Norris is demanding measures of currency inflation. He suggested the retirement of the Fourth Liberty Loan bonds with new money instead of by the Government's policy of conversion.

The Roosevelt Government is at its wit's end doing its utmost to overcome the disparity prices of retail goods and commodity prices, a disparity which forms the crux of the whole problem.

SUPPORT FOR SILVER

Senator Harrison has renewed his plans for inflation. He declared to-day that if the United States, Britain, and France, or even one of them, agreed to purchase surplus silver at the market price and issued silver notes against it, it would have a beneficial effect.

It is stated that all these things are being considered by the Administration.—*Router*.

BANK RATE DOWN

New York, Oct. 10.
The Federal Reserve Bank has reduced the re-discount rate from two and a half to two per cent.
Little significance is attached to the lowering of the bank rate. It is construed as a further readjustment to current open market rates, which are below the Federal Reserve level.—*Router*.

TYPHOON RE-CURVES

The Royal Observatory reports that a weak anticyclonic area covers China and South Manchuria. The typhoon has re-curved and moved rapidly north-eastward. It is situated about 50 miles south-east of Nagasaki this morning. Local forecast: North-east winds, fresh; fine generally.



The Scottish Company of the H.K.V.D.C. on their route march in Kowloon yesterday evening. (Mac Cheung)

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ARMISTICE DAY CELEBRATION

To Follow Lines of Former Years

London, Oct. 19.
The King has decided that the celebration of Armistice Day, November 11th, which falls this year on a Saturday, shall follow the lines adopted in previous years. The Home Secretary, on behalf of the Cabinet, is making the necessary arrangements.—*British Wireless*.

NAZI BAN ON BOOKS

NEW REGULATIONS ISSUED

Berlin, Oct. 19.
Books on Pacifism, Darwinism and Freudianism are banned from all German bookstalls under new regulations which were issued to-day.
Books in a foreign language or translated from foreign languages must not be circulated by lending libraries unless they contain Nordic German sentiments in form and content.—*Router*.

JAPANESE ARMY PROMOTIONS

ARAKI AND MATSUI INSTALLED

Tokyo, Oct. 20.
Lieutenant-General Sadao Araki, Minister of War, and Lieutenant-General Iwane Matsui, Commander-in-Chief in Formosa and former chief military delegate to the Disarmament Conference, have been promoted full Generals.
The two military leaders were formally installed at 9.30 this morning.—*Router*.

SOVIET BOMBING STORY DENIED BY THE TASS AGENCY

Moscow, Oct. 19.
Reports published in Chinese newspapers, alleging that Soviet aeroplanes had bombed Chanchu and down over Chanchu are absolutely untrue, according to the Tass Agency.—*Router*.

ULM SETS A RECORD

IN AUSTRALIA IN LESS THAN A WEEK

AFTER MIDNIGHT LANDING

London, Oct. 19.
A new record for the England-Australia flight has been established, the journey having been completed in less than a week for the first time.
Mr. Charles T. P. Ulm, who set out from London the evening of October 12, landed at Wyndham, Australia, at 12.15 a.m. on October 20, that is 8.45 p.m. Greenwich Mean Time on October 19.

The flight was thus completed in 6 days, 17 hours and 45 minutes, beating by eleven hours the record set up only eight days ago by Sir Charles Kingsford Smith. Kingsford Smith's record still holds for the solo flight, however, as Mr. Ulm has three companions on his trip, Messrs. Allen and Taylor as co-pilots and Mr. Edwards as navigator.

DEFEATS ILL-LUCK

Ulm would have done even better time but for the fact that he experienced bad weather conditions at several places and stuck in the mud at Sourabaya when endeavouring to take off on the last lap of the flight.

The machine employed by Ulm was an Avro Ten high-wing monoplane, with three powerful engines. He is an Australian and acted as co-pilot for Kingsford Smith on many notable flights, including the one across the Pacific.—*British Wireless*.

FATAL MOTOR ACCIDENT

MR. D. W. MUNTUN IN MISHAP

A Chinese youth named Fung Hung, died in the Kowloon Hospital as the result of injuries received when he was knocked down by a car in Waterloo Road.
It is understood that the driver of the car was Mr. D. W. Muntun, of the China Light and Power Company, and that he was accompanied by Mr. J. B. Witherell, of Kowloon Docks.

The accident occurred on Wednesday evening, in Waterloo Road near the hospital. Mr. Muntun is said to have swerved in an effort to avoid the pedestrian, but could not do so in time.

The youth was taken to hospital in a serious condition and died yesterday.

INQUEST ON PHILLIP WATERTON

Victim of Castle Peak Road Accident

An inquest on Phillip Waterton, the five-year-old son of Mr. D. W. Waterton, was opened at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this afternoon. Mr. Wynne-Jones, sitting as Coroner.

The following jury was empanelled: Mr. E. W. Simmonds (foreman), Mr. A. A. Alva, and Mr. H. Overy.
The Coroner said that the boy died in hospital on October 19 after a motor accident on the Castle Peak Road. He appeared to have died while under an anaesthetic. The inquiry is proceeding.

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YOUR CHILDREN

By Olive Roberts Barton

When the children go back to school there are a few things for both parents and teachers to remember.

One of them is that fall is the time certain diseases choose to have a holiday.

It is hardly necessary to stress typhoid fever to-day but in the old days before city filtration and laboratory tests of water supplies typhoid lay in wait in the water pipes of old buildings until the children got back. Then there was trouble. I myself was one of the victims and the dregs of the disease have affected my entire life.

In any community where there is any doubt whatsoever about the water piped into the schools, it should be brought in barrels from safer sources until something can be done about it.

But other diseases appear in epidemic form in the fall, that are not due to low or tainted water supply.

An Ounce of Prevention

I do not say this to frighten mothers—they all know it anyway—but merely to remind them that escapes are often due to the simplest methods of prevention.

I would warn children never to drink out of a common drinking cup. Most schools have fountains to-day. If not, there should be individual paper cups. If they are not provided, buy each child his own supply to take with him. And tell him not to stop just any place for a drink. Soda fountains should have either paper containers or a thorough method of scalding and washing—that in many cases are far from thorough. But of course we cannot go about with microscopes examining glasses. At least the glasses are washed before being used again, and that is something.

Try if possible to make the children keep their hands away from their faces, not only their mouths but their noses and their eyes make them wash hands often, particularly before meal time. Clear handkerchiefs and no borrowed handkerchiefs from another child are imperative.

Fall Precautions.

Influenza is a fall disease. Watch headaches and coughs. On wet days protect feet with rubbers. A child should never sit in damp clothes or shoes. Don't let colds run on. See the doctor.

A teacher can tell usually if a child is ill. If a head goes down on a desk—investigate. If the child seems feverish or flushed get him home at once. If he is coughing or sneezing frequently he is better off out of the school room and the rest of the children are safer.

Children need substantial food and milk. Lunch should not be a hurried cold snack but something cooked and nourishing. A child who is not well enough should sleep alone. The common pillow is a carrier of colds, and

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GLORIFYING YOURSELF A Mask to Tone Your Complexion

By Alicia Hart

You're masking your beauty if you don't treat your face to a home mask treatment once in a while.

One of the most frequent questions which a beauty editor is asked is how and what to use for a home mask.

Masks are to your face what a spring house cleaning is to your home. You keep it reasonably

other troubles when one head on it is that of a patient.

Precautions are not amiss at any time of the year and it only seems sensible to be on the safe side now.

Aid to Pea Shelling

Any woman who does her own cooking will appreciate having a pea sheller. You put the pods in one side, turn a handle and the peas come out one end while the pods fall into a pan which is set underneath the machine.

clean most of the time but, once in a while, you need to get right into the most unobtrusive corners and do the cleaning job "up brown."

Masks stimulate circulation, thoroughly cleanse and tone the complexion.

The old fashioned egg mask is one of the best and certainly one of the easiest to prepare and use.

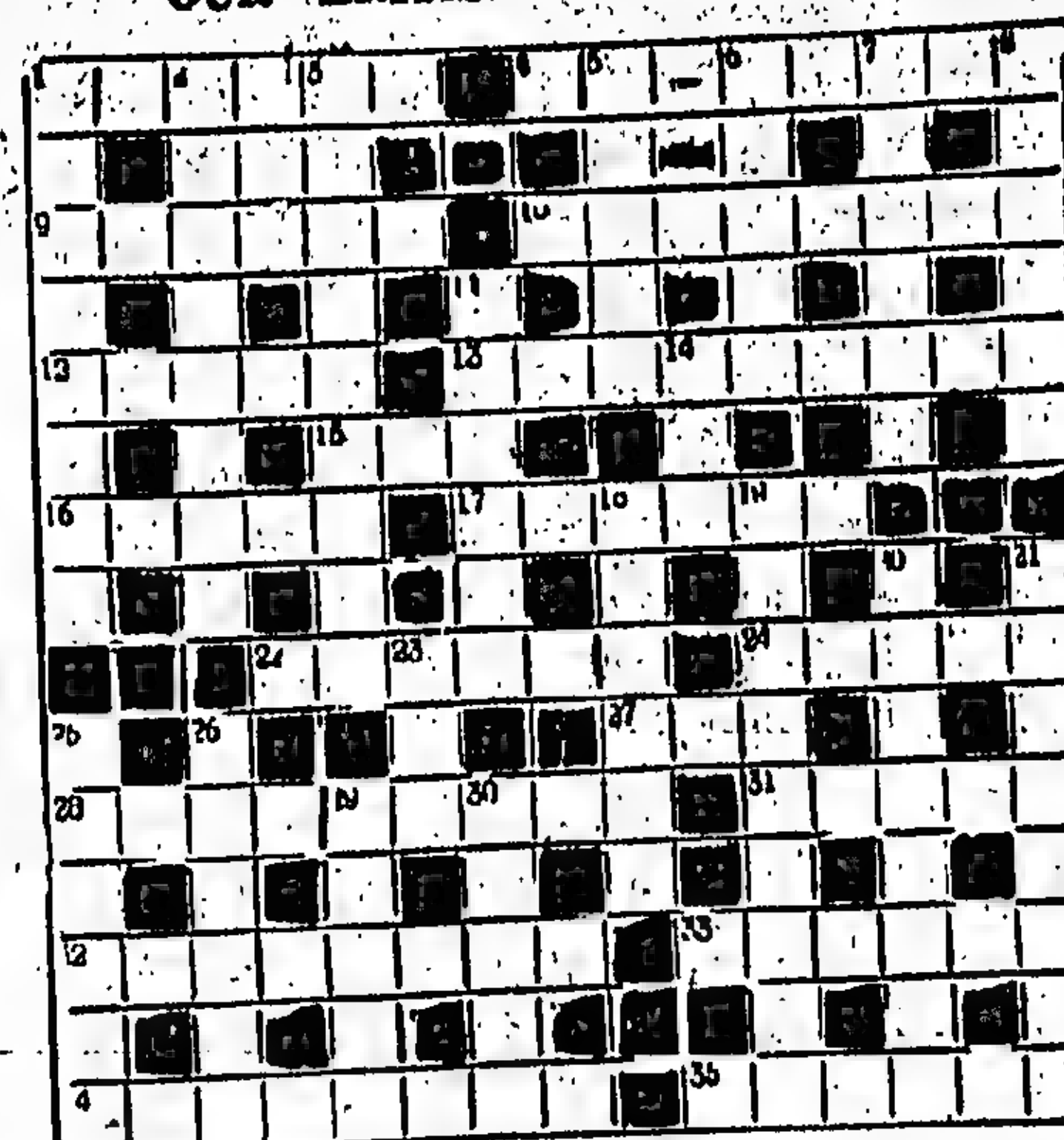
Take one fresh egg. Separate the yolk and white and place each one in an ice cold bowl of its own. Beat each one lightly with a fork or egg beater.

Clean your face with soap and water and then with cleansing cream. Be sure to remove all the cream.

Now smear your face and neck with the beaten egg yolk. Allow it to dry. Put the egg white on over the dried yolk and let it dry too. Lie down for 20 minutes, leaving the two layers of egg on your skin. Try to relax completely for all of the 20 minutes. Then rinse off all the egg with tepid water.

Apply a skin toning lotion to your face. If your skin feels dry after the mask treatment, use a tiny bit of tissue cream.

OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



Across

- 1 Asiatic.
- 4 Elegantly expressive, to quote Len, Air, though rather obscurely, and—
- 9 These ancients are dead, girl. If you like.
- 10 Serves as a sign.
- 12 Part of South Africa.
- 13 A longing you cannot get until you are away from home.
- 15 The river of the Cockney's outer pool.
- 16 Exactly desires, as one who suffers from 13.
- 17 Fiction in such a book is strongly to be deplored.
- 22 A system of business not encouraged at cash stores.
- 24 You may take it or leave it, sit on it or appeal to it—but do not ruffle its hair.
- 27 The interrupted river of 19.
- 28 Full of beans.
- 31 Clear as should be he who takes the 24.
- 32 These belong to any nation but the Jews.
- 33 Reflect.
- 34 Dear me! it takes ten gross to make him sing.
- 35 It's in the heart of every native of these islands.

Down

- 1 It goes eagerly, but try, laden for a change, though—
- 2 You will only overload Anthony by such voracity.
- 3 No matter how accustomed to great wide open spaces, this part of Spain would even take in a U.S.A. lad.
- 5 You'll find a penny in the

- grounds of this English city.
- 6 Assigned share.
- 7 Power.
- 8 A Dutchman who names an Antipodean island.
- 11 Elk tan (anag.).
- 14 Germans used to drink to the label—which never came off.
- 18 A hint it is straight.
- 19 Higher still.
- 20 We have the "dogs" and the "gee-gees," but at this game I hear and see that you may back a national post.
- 21 You may broil on it, or grind, as an alternative.
- 23 Embryonic fish.
- 25 Equine sounds of negation.
- 26 Bunting.
- 29 These ways have no connection with means.
- 30 A subject that always opens with the others objectively.

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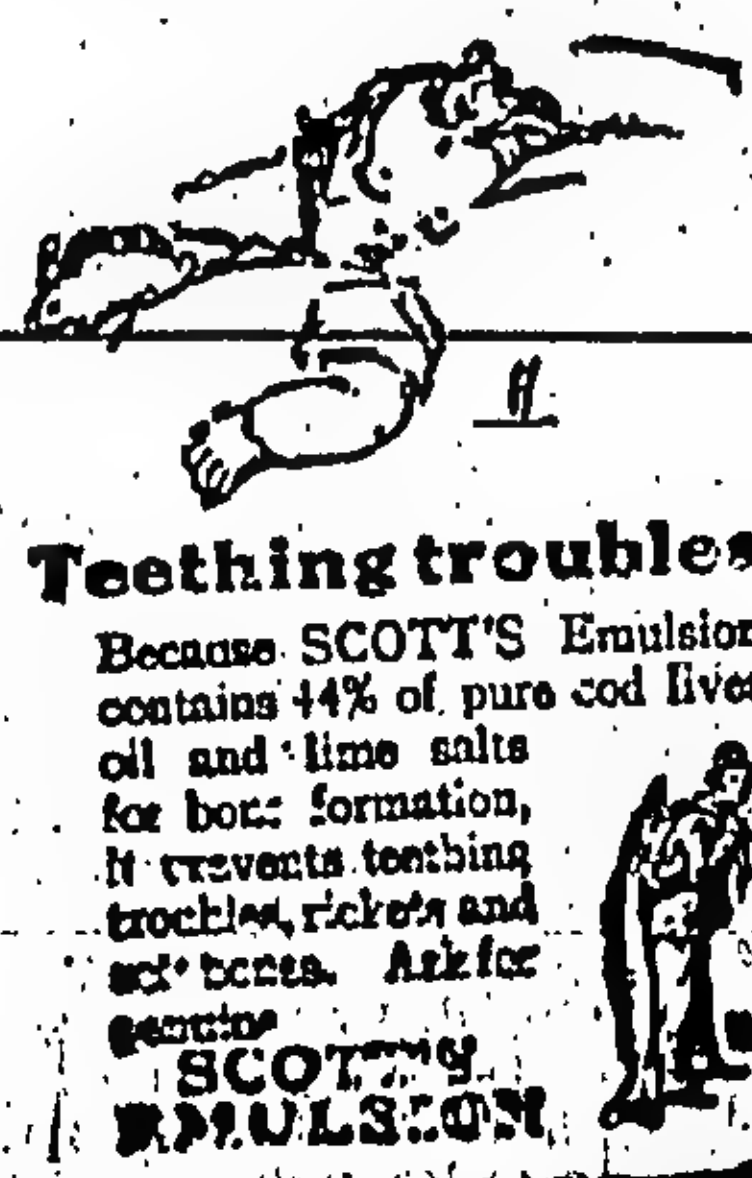
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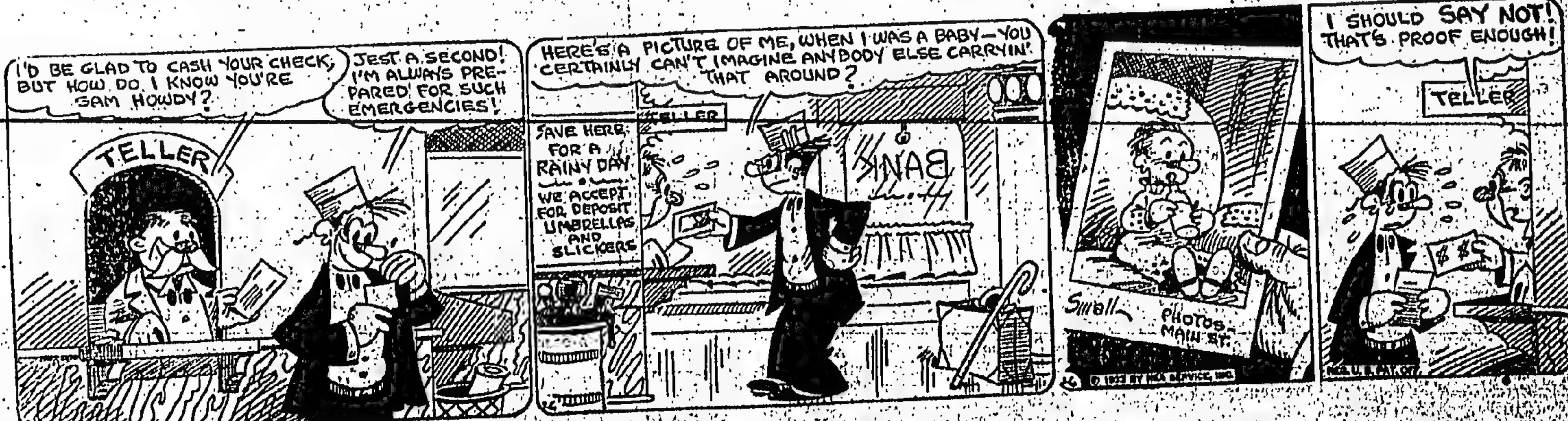
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SYNOPSIS.
Leonard Sefton, running into a disappearance mystery, at Grayville, decides to induce in a little amateur detective work. The missing man is the driver of the Marmalade boat, which is being kept open under the management of the manager, Miss Fyne. A mysterious stranger visits the hotel and talks with a servant named Luigi. Later, the dead body is found at the foot of the cliff.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

CHAPTER VI.

"At the foot of the cliff," Jim stared at the unpleasant sight with wide-open eyes and mouth agape. For a moment his heart almost stopped beating. Then it began beating with double its customary speed, as though to make up for the time it had lost.

Overhead a sea-gull soared, oblivious to the fact that anything unusual was happening below it. How should it know, or, knowing, why should it care? The billions of living entities comprising this world are divided from each other by impenetrable walls of ignorance, and by the callous illusion of individual importance.

It was the sudden crying of the sea-gull that jerked the terror-stricken little boy to action.

"Golly!" he breathed, inadequately; and then, all at once, turned nimbly and began speeding up the cliff path.

Reaching the top, a moment of giddiness had to be survived. Jim sat down, rather abruptly, on a little grassy knoll.

"Golly!" he knelt, on a little grassy knoll. Only a short while ago he had been speaking to that silent shape. "Dreamin'!" he thought, with sudden hope.

But when he opened his eyes after tightly closing them he knew that the silent shape still lay at the foot of the cliff, even though he could no longer see it; and the sea-gull still swept with restless, mysterious purpose through the clear blue sky.

Jim jumped up again, and ran towards the hotel. The distance was not great, but it seemed great this afternoon. A hand shot out and caught him when he was fifty yards from his goal.

"Why you runna like zat?" exclaimed the owner of the hand. Jim gazed up into the pale blue eyes of the Italian waiter, Luigi.

"No good runna in so sun," proceeded Luigi, frowning. "You sink Miss Fyne—how you say?—pitch at you for being late?"

Jim shook himself free. "Miss Fyne never pitches inter nobody," he retorted, somewhat indignantly.

"She never pitch at me," admitted Luigi, smiling. "I no give or so chance. I no tell or when I break za glasses." Then he stopped smiling, and stared at Jim rather hard.

"Why you runna like zat, eh? You seen a ghost? Tull, large sing-in-tall—large—sheet? Show Luigi! Where?" He grinned again, ironically.

"I seen wuss'n a ghost," replied Jim.

"Oh, oh!" laughed Luigi. "Ze Devil, zen, eh? Long tail—"

"Yus; you be funny!" interposed Jim. "I seen a corpse!"

Luigi's grin faded once more, and he backed a little.

"A—corpse?" he muttered; and then added, all at once, "Maria! Number Tree."

"E's down thereon the sands, 'e is," went on Jim. "I come upon 'im jest now, and 'e's lyin' there dead, on a rock."

"Dead—on za rock," repeated Luigi, in a dazed voice.

"That's right. I'm jest goin' in to tell 'em. You go and 'ave a look, Loojy."

"No, sank you," replied the waiter. His face was very pale, and his voice was unsteady. "I—go back wiz you, Zen—we go and 'ave a little look, eh? All togeezzer. Si, si!"

He tried to grin again, but it was rather a failure. Luigi was no longer in a grinning mood.

He turned, and accompanied the boy back to the hotel. As they drew near the building, the plump of a ball meeting gut fell upon their ears, and a voice called from the hidden lawn, "Shot, sir!" Luigi shuddered suddenly.

"Ow was 'o kill?" he whispered.

"Dunno," replied Jim.

A little way off, Miss Fyne was watering a bed of roses across which the shadow of a hedge had fallen. Jim hesitated for a second, then walked towards her. Luigi hung behind.

"Oh, Jim, run and turn off the tap, will you?" said Miss Fyne when she saw him. "And then I want you to help me nail up the creosote by the drawing-room window."

Jim turned, glad of the little delay, and while he walked to the wall and turned the tap off, his young mistress laid down the hose.

"Come here, Jim!" called Miss Fyne, suddenly.

"Yus, miss?" replied Jim, advancing again.

He found her eyes boring into his.

"Something's the matter, Jim," said Miss Fyne, quietly. "What is it?"

Jim gulped. Now that he was face to face with it, he did not like his role of news reporter—for it was bad news, and Miss Fyne had had more than her share of that lately. However, it could not be helped, so he plunged.

"Nothin' ter do with us 'ere' miss," he began, protectively. "But there's a dead feller on the beach."

Jessica Fyne's hand shot up to her breast and she gave a little cry.

"No, it ain't Mr. Fyne!" the boy went on quickly. "It's a feller wot 'was speakin' to me about a hour ago."

"Jim—you're telling the truth?" exclaimed Miss Fyne. "You know—you know it isn't my father?"

"Course it ain't," replied Jim, emphatically. "It's a well-dressed bloke 'oo spoke ter me, like wot I see, and 'e's lyin' now, miss, at the foot of the cliff. By the gap, 'e is. I thort I better tell you fust, miss."

"Yus, you've done quite right, Jim," answered Miss Fyne, recovering herself. "The poor fellow! We must go to him. Are you sure he's dead?"

"Dead as a door-nail, miss," asserted Jim. "But you'd better not go, miss. Ori we get for do's ter tell the police—"

Something soared above them, and came down in the bed of roses. One of the players had made a wild shot on the tennis lawn. A

moment later, Leonard Sefton came running round two angles of the hotel to regain the ball.

"I hope we haven't slain any of your flowers, Miss Fyne," he smiled.

"Mr. Sefton—" said Miss Fyne. He stopped abruptly. Miss Fyne flushed suddenly, and went back on herself.

"No—never mind," she murmured. "Please go on with your game."

Leonard glanced at her, and at Jim.

"The game can wait," he said quietly, turning back to Miss Fyne. "Something's happened, hasn't it?"

"Yes, but—"

"Something bad?"

"Yes."

Another figure came round from the lawn—a tall, rather ungainly figure, all legs and arms and eyebrows.

"Can't you find it?" cried the howler. "Go back—they're waitin'—and I'll have a look."

The speaker was the young man who snored from the name of Napoleon Truelove.

"I'd rather you did me another favour, Mr. Truelove," answered Leonard.

"Course! Anythin' you like!" "Take my place. Finish the game for me."

Napoleon Truelove started. "Beg your pardon?" he queried. "Would you mind? I'll explain later—in a few minutes. Here's the ball."

He tossed it over. Napoleon caught it, gazed at it for enlightenment, murmured, "Ah right—rightly!" and departed, thoroughly mystified.

The players on the lawn were equally mystified, and Guy Haines was disinclined to accept the verdict.

"One can't go off in the middle of a set like that!" he complained. "One has," retorted his sister. "Anyway, Guy you've nothing to complain of, because we're three games up on you, and now you'll have a chance of drawing level."

"Oh, come, I say," protested Napoleon, grinning. "That's a bit rough on the substitute, what?"

"My dear Nappy," retorted Beryl Haines, "you can't pay the most beautiful compliment, but you can't serve for nuts. If you ask me, I believe our Mr. Leonard Sefton is Tilden or Borotra in disguise."

"Only no one did ask you," observed her brother, with fraternal rudeness. "Well, let's get on."

Meanwhile, the subject of their discussion was listening to Jim's story, which the boy now gave in greater detail. Jim was certain on two of his details. He was certain that the man lying at the foot of the cliff was the man who had spoken to him earlier in the afternoon, and he was certain that the man was dead.

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"He very probably did," nodded Leonard, with a reassuring glance at Miss Fyne. "I'll go and have a look at him. By the way, what's he like? Tall, short, rich, poor, good-looking, ugly?"

"Yes."

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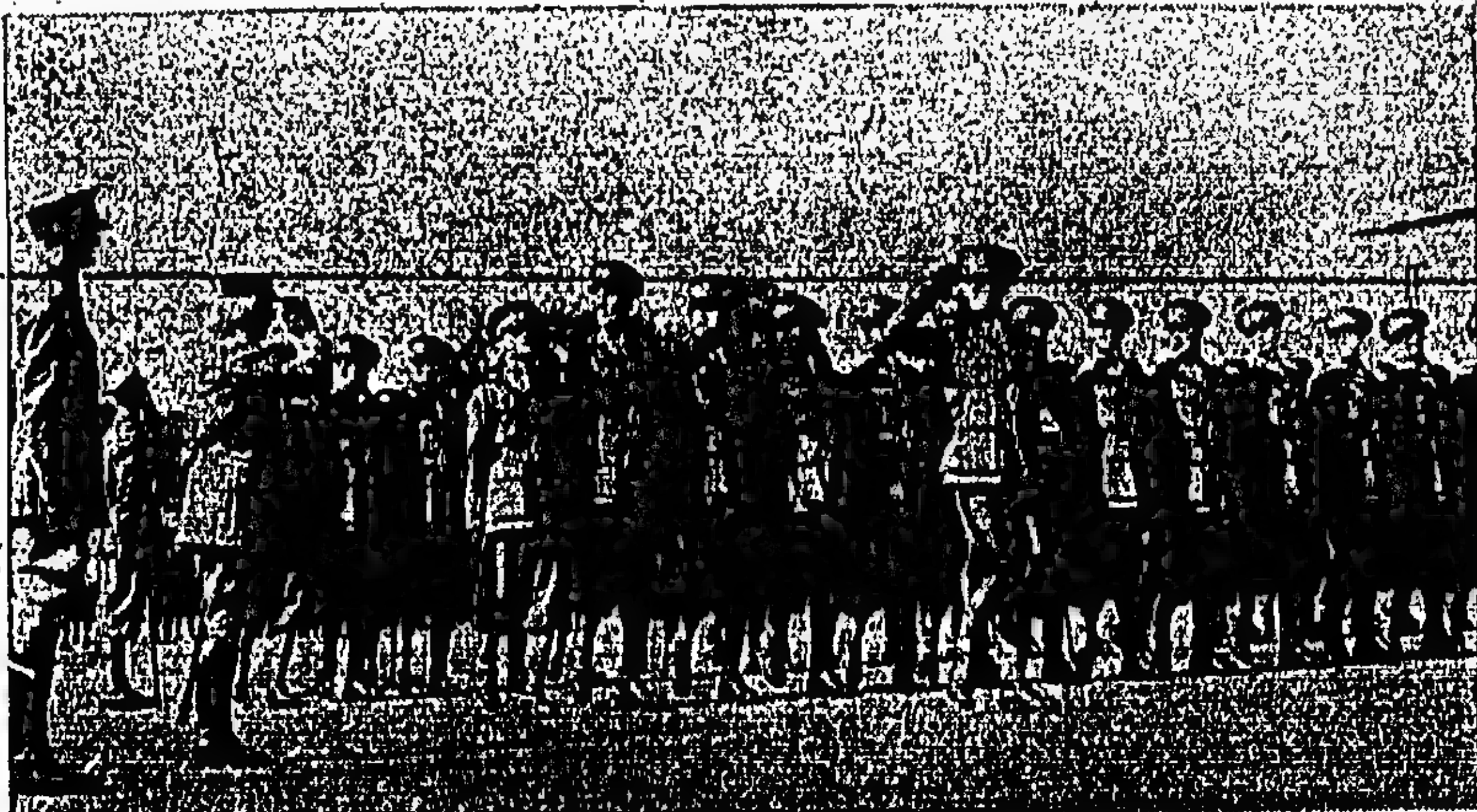
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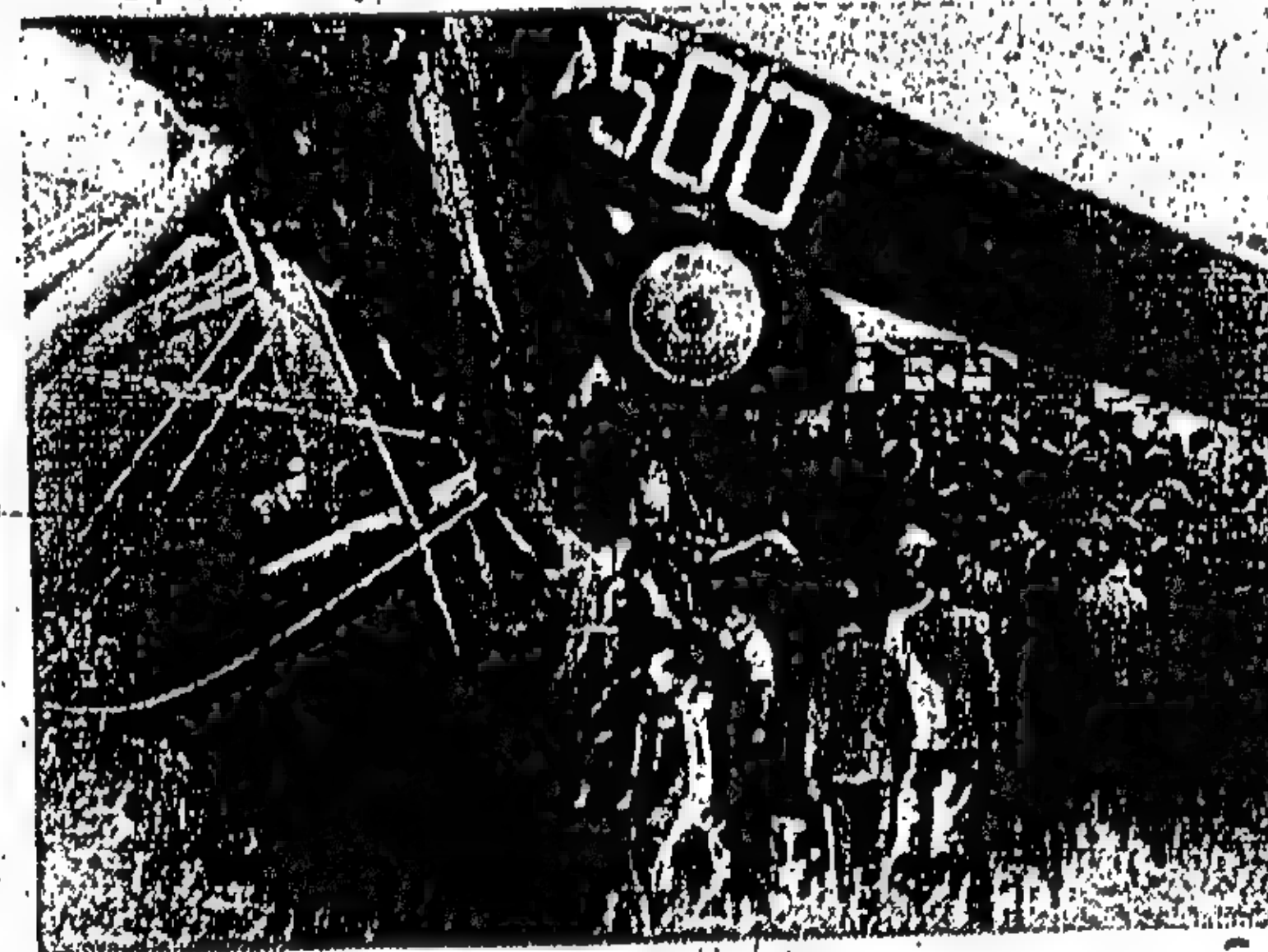
A baby show held in connexion with the Southend Carnival Week, attracted a big entry. Here are two babies who did not like being weighed in. (Planet News).



The Duke of Connaught is here seen, taking the salute when he inspected the gentlemen cadets at the Royal Military College, Sandhurst. (Planet News).



The crack American train Crescent Limited plunged from a trestle into Eastern Branch, near Washington. The engine and the first few cars left the rails, the fireman and engineer being killed and several people injured. An aerial view of the train after it had left the rails. (Planet News).



One man was killed and two injured when an R. A. F. Virginia night bomber made a forced landing at Brooklands. This picture shows rescuers at work after the crash. (Planet News).



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Business men criticize a situation where capital cannot be employed owing to the uncertainty of the times, and new legislation controlling fresh issues is countered by the statement that free use of money is no longer permitted. This encourages the belief that financial houses, the stock exchange and produce exchanges will be subjected to drastic regulations.

Meanwhile figures have been gathered by a conference of statisticians which show that the increase in distribution of manufactures in September was less than the seasonal total volume of sales, declining by 10 per cent. compared with 1932.

An energetic "Buy Now Campaign" is proceeding to combat this decline.

The Edison electrical plant in New Jersey gave each employee five dollars over his weekly pay with the injunction to spend the bonus immediately in order to stimulate trade.

It is believed that the recent check of business is a reaction to the artificial boom of early summer.

Employment Figures.

Employment in America shows a real improvement. The Secretary of Labour claims that 620,000 were re-absorbed during September.

ber, representing the sixth successive monthly increase in employment figures. The workless population has been reduced by 2,700,000 since March and weekly pay-rolls have increased by \$64,000,000.

The lighter side of the recovery programme is revealed by President Roosevelt's embargo on imports of so-called medicinal liquor. He rejected the proposal to permit the importation of liquor in bond until sales were legalised, probably on December 5.

Merchants sought permission recently to import 3,000,000 gallons of medicinal liquor for the "Christmas trade." The embargo costs the revenue department U. S. \$20,000,000.—*Reuter*.

Salary Probe.

Washington, Oct. 19.
The Federal Trade Commission announced to-day that it is shortly starting an investigation of the size of salaries of all American business leaders.

The Commission has sent a questionnaire to 2,000 corporations, requesting returns by October 23. The questionnaire asks for the salaries of all officials of companies with capital exceeding \$1,000,000.—*Reuter*.



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DICTATORSHIPS UNSUITED.

KEEN DEBATE AMONG Y.M.C.A. MEMBERS

Dictatorship is not the form of Government best suited to the present time. That, at least, was the opinion of a substantial majority of the large audience which attended the first Y.M.C.A. debate of the season, conducted in the West Lounge of the Institution last night.

The case for the affirmative was proposed by Mr. D. J. A. Crozier and was seconded by Mr. J. M. Kelleher. The Rev. Dr. E. L. Allen, assisted by Mr. N. Stockton propounded the negative issue.

The Rev. F. Short presided. Opening the argument, Mr. Crozier invited the audience first to study the subject and laid particular stress on the words "at the present time." He was not advocating dictatorship as the ideal form of Government in all countries and for all time, but he was suggesting that the present system had failed lamentably and dictatorship, as a temporary expedient, was the surest, safest and best method by which the nations of the world could be brought back to prosperity and freed from the burdens imposed upon them at present.

He dealt comprehensively with the advantages of the system and left to his secondor the task of dealing with the subject as it applied to Italy, Germany, and Turkey and as it might apply with advantage to other nations.

An Angel Dictator.

Dr. Allen gave a brilliant lead to the case for the opposition. A dictatorship, he pointed out, would be the best possible form of Government. If it could be certain that an angel from Heaven would come down and occupy the dictator's throne. The great weakness of the system, he contended, was the uncertainty that the Dictator would be a man with the interests of his country at heart and the ability to do his job well. Dr. Allen visualised a democracy based on the highest principles of justice as the ideal form of Government.

Mr. Stockton lent a touch of humour to the opening speeches by regretting the paucity of married men in the audience. He supported Dr. Allen's arguments and contended that one of the failings of a dictatorship was the problem of who would carry on the work after the Mussolinis, the

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Hitlers and the Kemal Pashas had passed away.

Many interesting points were raised by the audience both for and against the motion. The leaders summed up, after which a ballot was taken, resulting in the defeat of the motion.

In his concluding remarks, the Chairman thanked the speakers for the part they had played in the interesting discussion and pointed out that the debates were held purely for the entertainment of members and the views expressed by the speakers were not necessarily their personal opinions.

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Japan	Lyon	October 22.
Straits	Manila	October 22.
Japan	Rakuyo Maru	October 22.
Shanghai and Amoy	Tainan	October 22.
Shanghai	Pres. McKinley	October 23.
Japan	Athos II.	October 23.
Shanghai	D'Artagnan	October 24.
Japan	Patricius	October 24.
Shanghai	Taiwan	October 24.
Japan	Yusaku Maru	October 24.
Straits	Yusaku Maru	October 24.
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Saturday.			
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Reg.	Oct. 21, 11.30 a.m.	Reg.	Oct. 21, 12.15 p.m.
Letters	Oct. 21, 12.30 p.m.	Letters	Oct. 21, 1 p.m.
Holhow and Haiphong	Kingyan	Sat., Oct. 21, Noon	
Sandakan	Hinsang	Sat., Oct. 21, 2 p.m.	
Shanghai	Ningpo	Sat., Oct. 21, 3 p.m.	
Foochow	Ninghai	Sat., Oct. 21, 3.30 p.m.	
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., Oct. 21, 4.30 p.m.	
Bangkok	Bintang	Sat., Oct. 21, 4.30 p.m.	
Saigon	Solviken	Sat., Oct. 21, 5 p.m.	
Sunday.			
Manila	General Sherman	Sun., Oct. 22, 8.30 a.m.	
Foochow via Swatow	Yusang	Sun., Oct. 22, 8.30 a.m.	
Amoy and Formosa via Swatow	Canton Maru	Sun., Oct. 22, 9 a.m.	
Bangkok via Swatow	Koying	Sun., Oct. 22, 9 a.m.	
Amoy	Anshun	Sun., Oct. 22, 9 a.m.	
Swatow	Selatan	Sun., Oct. 22, 9 a.m.	
Monday.			
Swatow	Hydrangea	Mon., Oct. 23, 3 p.m.	
Straits	Hai Hing	Mon., Oct. 23, 4 p.m.	
Amoy	Anshun	Mon., Oct. 23, 5 p.m.	
Tuesday.			
Batavia	Tjisondari	Tues., Oct. 24, 10 a.m.	
Saigon and Europe via Marseilles D'Artagnan	D'Artagnan	Tues., Oct. 24.	
(Due Marseilles, November, 25.)			
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Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Tues., Oct. 24, 3 p.m.	
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Wednesday.			
Foochow via Swatow	Hunan	Wed., Oct. 25, 10 a.m.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Patroclus		Wed., Oct. 25.	
East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles	(Due Marseilles, November 25.)		
K. P. O.			
Reg.	Oct. 25, 1 p.m.	Reg.	Oct. 25, 1.15 p.m.
Letters	Oct. 25, 1 p.m.	Letters	Oct. 25, 2 p.m.
Amoy	Tainan	Wed., Oct. 25, 3 p.m.	
Thursday.			
Calcutta via Straits	Sulung	Thurs., Oct. 26.	
Parcels	Oct. 26, 1 p.m.	Letters	Oct. 26, 2 p.m.
Friday.			
Manila	Emp. of Canada	Fri., Oct. 27, 3 p.m.	
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Fri., Oct. 27, 3 p.m.	
Manila	Pres. Hayes	Fri., Oct. 27, 5 p.m.	
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WOMAN TO HANG

JUDGE HOLDS NO HOPE FOR CONDEMNED

Shanghai, Oct. 19.
The Shanghai Evening Post declares that Katherine Hadley, who is under sentence of death for the murder of Captain Walter Youngs, is unlikely to appeal against the verdict, partly owing to lack of funds.
Judge Grant Jones, in sentencing the prisoner, said that he could not see any reason whatsoever why she should not pay the extreme penalty, and there were no grounds for interference with the course of the law on his part.

"THE IDEAL COUPLE"

FAIRBANKS DENIES STORY OF DIVORCE

Casa Blanca, Oct. 19.
Douglas Fairbanks on arrival here gave a "quintus" to the report that Hollywood's "ideal couple" are going to be divorced. Fairbanks said he and Mary Pickford are going to remain married.—*Reuter*.
Further, Judge Grant Jones stated "I cannot hold out any hope for a remission of the sentence."—*Reuter*.

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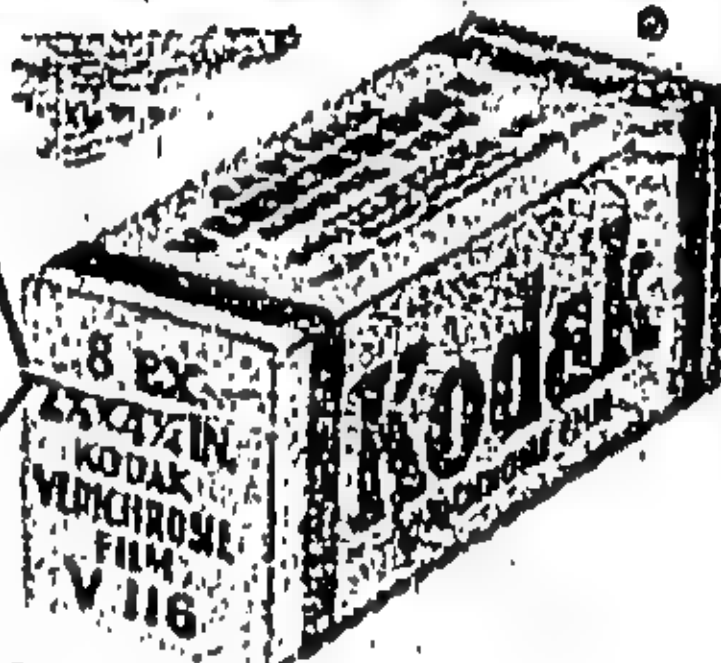


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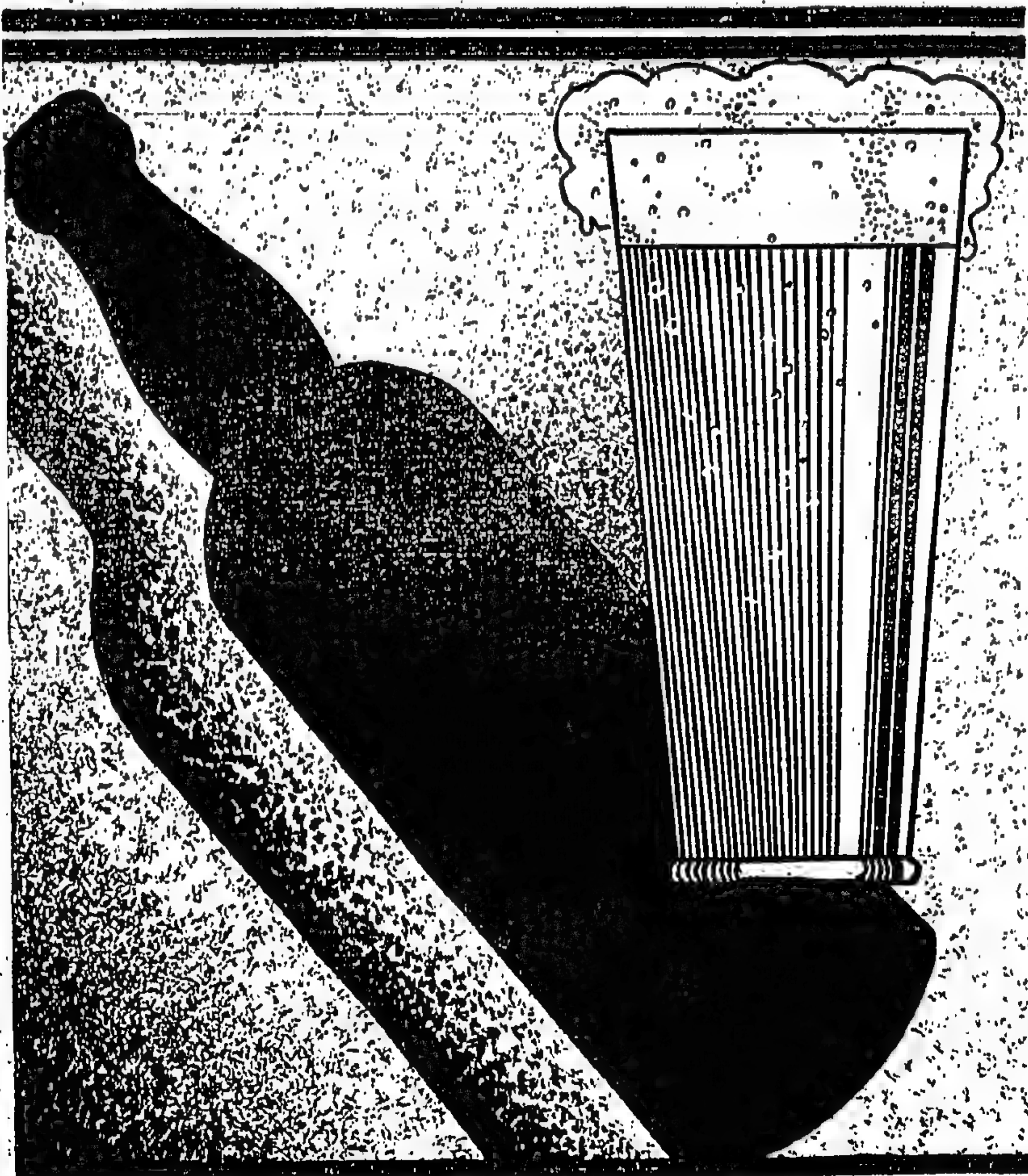
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TRAFALGAR DAY

PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

The programme of events for the celebration of Trafalgar Day (to-morrow) will be as follows:—

8 a.m. Nelson's Signal hoisted on all H.M. Ships, British Merchant Ships dress ship overall, 11 a.m. Laying of Wreaths at the Cenotaph.

Parade of Naval detachments, representatives of the Navy League, China Coast Officers' Guild, other organisations with Maritime interests and Sea Scouts, space will also be reserved for members of the Legislative and Executive Councils, and the Consular Body at the S.E. corner of the Cenotaph on the grass square. 11.15 a.m. Parade of Naval Gun's Crew with model of H.M.S. Victory round the City, accompanied by Lady Flag Sellers.

Trafalgar Day Race Meeting. By kind permission of the Stewards of the Jockey Club, Officers and men of the Royal Navy, Royal Naval Reserve, and Royal Naval Volunteer Reserve, have been invited to attend. A Naval Officers' Scoury has been arranged and the combined bands of H.M. Ships Suffolk and Berwick will render appropriate selections.

7.30 p.m. Illumination of ships. Searchlight display etc.

9.30 p.m.-3 a.m. Trafalgar Day Naval Ball at the Peninsula Hotel, 9.00 p.m. Dance in H.M.S. Tamar.

VETERAN OF MANY CAMPAIGNS

LORD TREOWEN DEAD

The death has occurred here of Ivor John Caradoc Herbert, 1st Baron Treowen, Lord Lieutenant of Monmouthshire.—Reuter.

Lord Treowen embarked on a military career, joining the Grenadier Guards in 1870. He served in the Egyptian Campaign, 1882, in the Brigade of Guards as Brigade-Major; was mentioned in despatches and received the Campaign Medal and Clasp, also the Khedival Star and the Order of Medjidie. With the Guards' Camel Regiment in the Nile Expedition, 1884-85, he took part in the famous desert march to Metemnah.

Appointed military attache at St. Petersburg in 1896, he continued in that post until 1899 when he was appointed Commander of the Canadian local forces with the rank of Major-General.

In 1896 Lord Treowen was back in England and commanded the 3rd Batt. Grenadier Guards. Later, in 1898, he was posted to the position of Adjutant-General of the Home District.

During the South African campaign he served with the Field Force, and was in charge of foreign representatives with the Army Headquarters. For his services in the campaign he received the S.A. Medal with four Clasps; the 2nd Class of the Order of the Red Eagle, from the German Emperor; Commander of the Order of the Crown of Italy, from the King of Italy, and the French Order of the Legion of Honour.

In 1906 he contested the South Monmouthshire seat in Liberal interests and represented that constituency until 1917. He had been President of the University College of South Wales since 1929.

Lord Treowen's wife, a daughter of Baron Londesborough, predeceased him in 1929.

CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

The name of Myrna Loy has always conjured the exotic fragrance of incense, visions of Oriental loveliness, bizarre pictures of the mystic East. And yet her name isn't Loy at all but Williams, plain, unadorned American. Williams of rugged Montana ranch stock. Now that she has escaped casting in exotic roles, Myrna is glad that somebody found her out at last.

"I was always afraid I would be found out and lose my exotic reputation," she laughs. "Now I'm happy that I got rid of it and can play straight American, leading-lady roles that give me an opportunity to do something more than smirk and look mysterious."

Miss Loy, who plays her latest part in "When Ladies Meet," isn't slant-eyed or Oriental of cast. As a matter of fact she is a distinctly American girl type with freckles. Her appearance as an Oriental dancer, she recalls, resulted in her first film role and her "typing" as an exotic creature.

"It was fun then," she says. "The characters were interesting and I seriously studied to make them real. In fact, I think I studied them too well. I read Oriental philosophy and tried to steep myself in Oriental thinking. I didn't know then how difficult it would be to break away from the type I was perfecting."

Her change in screen type has been accompanied by an equally impressive change in her own personality. Four years ago, when she was playing heartless sirens, she was one of Hollywood's most timid souls.

"But I got over that, too," she adds. "I had to, I was making myself too

miserable trying to live up to my mysterious reputation."

Ann Harding and Robert Montgomery are co-starred in "When Ladies Meet," which opens on Sunday at the Queen's Theatre. Harry Beaumont directed. From the Rachel Crothers stage hit with the supporting cast including Alice Brady, Frank Morgan, Martin Burton and Luis Alberni.

"Moonlight and Pretzels."

Picked by a distinguished group of American artists and illustrators as Broadway's "fifty most perfect show girls," a chorus seldom equalled for beauty and precision either on stage or screen, appears in "Moonlight and Pretzels," the Universal screen musical comedy now playing at the King's Theatre.

They were selected from the combined ensemble of the New York musical comedy triumphs, "Strike Me Pink," "Take A Chance," and "The Gay Divorcee" by a jury of feminine beauty experts composed of James Montgomery Flagg, John La Gatta, Russell Patterson, Jefferson MacHammer, Arthur William Brown, and Hal Phyth. The girls were trained and put through their paces before the cameras by none other than Bobby Connolly, America's premier dance director whose clever and intricate routines have contributed to the success of scores of New York musical comedy and revue hits.

What is undoubtedly the greatest galaxy of stage, screen and radio stars ever brought together in one show appear in "Moonlight and Pretzels." Roger Pryor, who triumphed as the columnist in the stage production of "Blessed Event," Mary Brian, Leo Carrillo, Lillian Miles, Alexander Gray, Doris Glaze, the Four Eton Boys, and Frank and Milt Britten's famous comedy band are only a few of the headliners that ap-

pear in the picture which Karl Freund and Monte Brice co-directed.

"The Big Cage"

When Clyde Beatty enters the barred arena with 43 lions and tigers, he goes in like a lion himself.

Before he enters, the world's foremost wild animal trainer stands in the safety cage at one side of the arena and attracts the attention of every animal within the enclosure, so that any of the beasts, taken unaware, may not spring on him from sheer fright. Opening the door slightly, he snaps his whip and emits the little whistle which is his principle method of signalling.

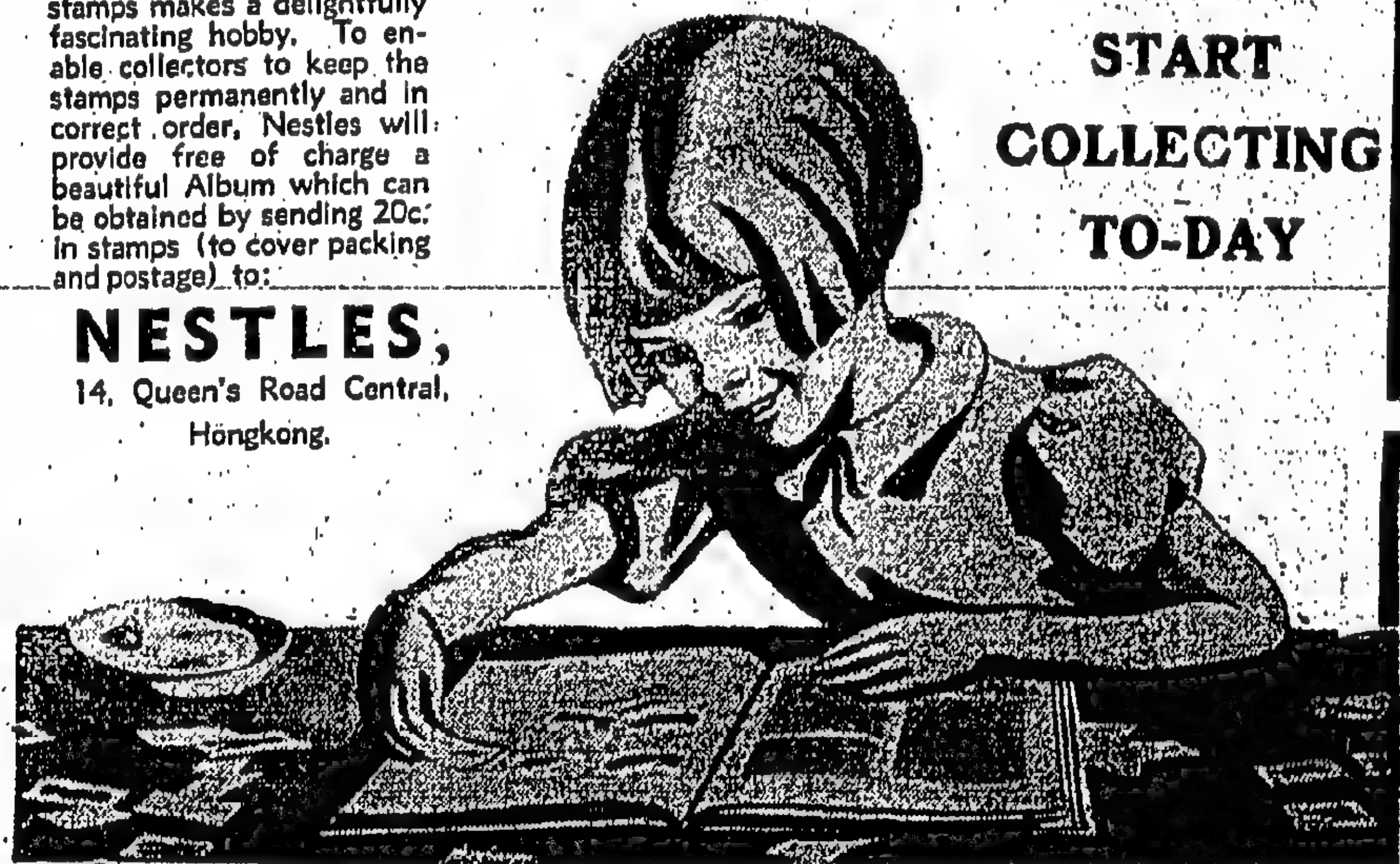
Then, when all is ready, Beatty rushes into the centre of the arena like a miniature cyclone, slaying to right and left with his crackling whip, and forcing the scurrying animals to leave him a space in their midst. The speed of his movements is incredible, and he proceeds to distribute the animals about the great cage with a tireless vigour which causes the perspiration literally to stream from his face. Even while he cracks his whip at a stubborn, snarling animal in front of him he snatches swift glances to the rear and sides, that he may not be surprised by any beast which might attempt to attack him unawares. He seems to look in every direction at once, and does not cease his lightning-like movements until he has the entire group of animals safely on their pedestals, each one in its assigned place. Spectators are actually limp from excitement. The scene is shown in such a close-up detail in "The Big Cage" at the Central Theatre to-day.

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SOCIAL EVILS

Arrests and convictions of local harridans for trafficking in young girls have become sufficiently frequent of late to provoke comment. There seems to be a feeling, not without justification, that a serious growth in the traffic has recently developed. In the revolting case, this week brought to light, the prosecution was assisted by the fact that the mother was an unwilling party to the transaction, a fact which gives rise to disquiet concerning the extent of vice organisation in these times of acute depression and unemployment. When some considerable time ago, it was decided that Hongkong should return to the principle of prohibition and suppression of licensed premises, a pious trust was reposed in the efficacy of the Ordinance for the Protection of Women and Girls, the only legal instruments devised in the Colony which could hope to deal with the aftermath. It was generally felt, however, that the decisions taken left many local requirements unsatisfied, particularly as problems existing at the time were likely to be intensified by the disintegration of the licensed houses and the driving of their occupants into subterranean channels. It is claimed by supporters of Government policy that where licensed vice has been abolished, traffic in victims becomes more difficult when the system, after a preliminary period of disorganisation, has dwindled. That may be applicable to conditions elsewhere, but here, in a port contiguous with China, the results hardly justify this optimistic view. The problem remains rather more difficult than before. A widespread campaign was carried out against sly-brothels during the "period of disorganisation," but it appears to have slackened pace and the traffickers have resumed their activity, aggravating the situation by new recruitments. The arguments of social reformers are still ineffectual in Hongkong where the ancient problem still remains of what can be achieved in the face of old customs and extreme poverty, the lack of means whereby the masses can be introduced to a higher economical standard and to better chances in life. Always discussions on matters such as this must lead to the same end. Attacks on the slum problem, upon social evils of every kind, opium smoking and the like, will always fall of their objective while no effort is made to raise the living standards of the submerged nine-tenths.

NOTES OF THE DAY

FRANC DANGER

Doubts about the stability of the franc have now spread to Paris itself; that more than fear of increased taxation is the probable explanation of the rush to sell French currency on Wednesday afternoon. If the movement develops into a flight of capital from Paris, as is distinctly possible, abandonment of the gold standard may be forced upon the French Government whether they contemplate the step to-day or not. The fluctuations on the exchange market affected all other Continental gold countries alike, further disturbing commercial interests. The recent uncertainty in the world's currencies must be a nightmare to the trading community. It is obviously impossible to take more than a limited view ahead and while the forward market still offers insurance against risks, it has its limitations, as the Hongkong Government discovered in 1932, much to the alarm of the Auditor.

MR. ROOSEVELT'S PROBLEM

Mr. Tinkham is not alone in feeling dubious about the ultimate success of the Roosevelt Recovery programme. The expectations of the American man-in-the-street have been woefully disappointed, although the experts in trade and industrial affairs, even those who were optimistic, knew that the process of recovery would be protracted. President Roosevelt's main problem is still to persuade the banks to lend. The manner of their offer to accept cash from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation is sufficiently indicative of their frame of mind. They feel quite honestly that they are merely adding to the amount of idle money at their disposal. Patriotism in accepting the offer is not likely to be followed by "patriotic loans" to individuals or firms who cannot provide them with ample security. Badly caught only six or seven months ago, a policy of caution to-day is psychologically certain.

NATIONAL GOVERNMENT

Democracy or dictatorship? The question for many countries has ceased to be academic. Democracy is struggling for its existence. In 1884, when the "Statesmen's Yearbook" was first issued, there were in Europe eighteen monarchies and one republic; to-day, according to Dr. M. Epstein, the Yearbook's editor, there are eleven republics and only eight monarchies. Recent events show that it would be absurd to conclude from these significant figures that the decline of monarchy necessarily means the advance of democracy. If democracy is a system in which power resides in the people, it is more likely to be found in monarchial Britain than in the republican Soviets. The trend from royalty to republic is no indication whether or not the world is steadily becoming more democratic. Figures like those of Dr. Epstein to the question whether the development of events is favourable to democracy or the reverse.

DEMOCRACY'S ASSET

Hitherto, even in democratically governed countries, the control of foreign policy has been left in the hands of the executive; but the mutual interdependence of the nations, to-day makes foreign affairs so fundamental an aspect of government that to separate them from the direction of the people's representatives would reduce democracy from a reality to a mere name. Further, increasing complexity of questions of internal politics—the intricacy of such matters, for example, as the gold standard and tariffs—makes the task of a democratic government harder than ever. Yet these difficulties are not so much a discouragement as a spur and a challenge for democracy to overcome them. For many hundreds of years it was considered axiomatic that democracy could function only in a small city state; the application of democratic system of government to an area as large as England would for more than a thousand years have appeared fantastic and absurd. As democracy has conquered the limitation of size, so will it triumph over its other difficulties. The reason for its ultimate success, is fundamental. In Britain and elsewhere at the moment it may not seem to have the qualities of speed and decision to be observed in more autocratic systems; but among a people with whom it has grown up and developed naturally, democracy has a flexibility, a capacity to adapt itself to changing needs, not found in any other method of government so far discovered.

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IT NEVER RAINS BUT IT SHINES FOR HIM

By C. V.-L. for the Telegraph

The cold season, from which a tolerable continuance of the dry spell may be expected, is on the verge of setting in, and local bootblacks, with a period of emergency barely left behind, are speculating if for them business will improve. Like other businesses, necessary or unnecessary, the business of making shoes shine has its ups and downs, and just now it has fallen into the pit of the general slump.

If people will only follow the advice of the economist and spend more and save less, least of all on the trifling cost that will help to make their lives brighter by a little shoe polish, what a different story perhaps, there might be to tell! All the virtues concentrated in a tiny tin of shoe polish may not have been recognised and exploited by people in the trade, and we are only dimly conscious that in some mysterious way it is connected with Cherry Blossom or that feathered oddity they tell us is the kiwi. Except that it serves a useful purpose by making old and dilapidated shoes look less old and dilapidated, the other uses for polish, as for instance its aid to character-reading, have not been fully considered in our daily routine.

THE FINER POINTS

It has been left, we venture to think, to a bootblack more than anybody else, to assess the psychological points in footwear. To him it matters little if the footwear is expensive, or merely the cheaper products of standardised and mass manufacture more favoured by the plodding proletariat. But if they are dirty, or if he thinks they require his professional services, he publicly calls attention to the fact, and the owner's reputation for respectability, depending on how he meets the offer, is at once at stake. On the other hand, the variety of footwear upon which his professional eye alights in a day must have struck the full range of individual expressions, granted that with the requisite degree of polish, they fairly reflect the character of the owner. Instantly, the shape and style intrude here. What is clearer than high heels and pointed toes as an indication to effeminacy and a mincing nicty of deportment in the male, or broader shoe patterns to emphasise a firmness of step and solidity of outlook?

Or again, clean shoes denote a person of careful habits, and dirty shoes a proof of—well, a darkened outlook. In the latter case what more fitting and natural than that a shoeblack should here intervene for a saving duty to the community by imparting the necessary degree of polish. In order

that he, Mr. So-and-So, be enabled to see in the shining expanse of leather a reflection of his own self: in short, seeing himself as others see him?

BUSINESS EXIGENCIES.

Wherefore it is to be believed the bootblack does occupy a niche in our communal structure instead of merely a nuisance and an obstruction.

True, the fraternity may have pushed business enterprise a bit too far. A few in this connexion have been known to seize on the unwilling leg and draw it, willy-nilly, to the footstool. But that is only to be expected when the community keeps its footwear meticulously clean and the dry weather conspiring to preserve this mark of respectability. A bootblack, in the last analysis, is compelled to live in order that he may continue to serve a thankless public.

When one comes to think of it, there is just one moral danger to the bootblacks themselves. Force of habit and an endless parade of dirty shoes may have tended to keep their gaze riveted to earth when it could have been lifted up to other things finer and far brighter than the polish they are so ready to deal out to all and sundry with such an impartial hand.

Women Are the Selfish Sex

By URSULA BLOOM.

I regret writing this. It seems to be, on the face of it, disloyal. Yet it is so well deserved that I cannot help putting my pen to it. I say in the face of all opposition that mine is the selfish sex!

Speaking in generalities, nine times out of ten mine is the sex that expects everything to be done for it, and to do precious little in return.

Look round you. Women expect men to stand up for them in buses and tubes. Women push themselves into theatre queues and booking office queues half-way up, ignoring the protest of the others about them. Women occupy the time of busy people, and keep others waiting, while they ask ridiculous questions which could with any forethought have been answered elsewhere and previously.

Have you ever seen a man run a shop-assistant off his or her feet while he made up his mind about twopennyworth of ribbon? No, of course you haven't. Yet women do it time and time again. Have you ever seen an old gentleman demanding that his nephew should play patience with him and wait upon him hand and foot in the way that old aunts demand such service of nieces? Of course not.

EVEN GREATER SINS.

These are the smaller sins of selfishness, but some women do not stay at this. They allow their

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"What an awful place to run out of gas. We'll be stuck here for an hour."

The Very Idea!

TEACHING US MANNERS
By Eddie Kelly, Bus Driver

YOU'LL notice by to-day's Telegraph that the Bus Company is commencing a School of Manners for its employees.

There has, we understand, been some talk of late about the deplorable manners of bus-conductors.

Why complaints should be restricted to bus drivers is beyond our comprehension. We know lots of other Hongkong people who need lessons.

We could mention heaps of names, but, instead, we'll content ourselves with giving a few hints on etiquette.

For instance, when a newspaper reporter calls on you the correct thing to do is to grunt and tell him tersely to get to somewhere out of this.

A gentleman should always remove his hat in a lift when ladies are present. If the gentleman is bald, he can walk up the stairs. Makes no difference to us. We're just telling you.

Nowadays it is hardly necessary to ask permission of a lady to smoke, unless it's opium; but be careful, if you do ask, not to use the phrase "May I smoke?" You're simply asking for the correct answer, which is "I don't care if you burn."

If a gentleman rises and gives his seat to a lady in a bus, she should first grunt at him, then take a step forward with the left foot, planting it firmly on his right foot, glare at him for having his foot on the floor, flop into the seat, and look out of the window.

It is the little details that count. At table, for instance, it is not good form to push the jam-tin lid down into the tin after you have used it. Someone else may have to struggle with it later.

The careful hostess would never give her guests peas unless mashed potatoes are provided on the same plate. Peas alone can never be retained on a knife except by an experienced diner-out. With mashed potatoes peas are easy. Give the peas a good coating of mashed potatoes and they will stick to the knife. Take care, however, not to run out of potatoes before the peas are finished.

When eating fruit, such as mangoes or lichees, the seeds should be removed from the mouth with the hand, and placed in a pocket or handbag.

At important functions it is best to swallow them, as it saves mucking about.

We forgot to mention that where the guest of honour is a man, he should take the hostess's arm when entering the dining room. If the hostess is very far gone, another gentleman may hold the other arm, a third gentleman going in front with the legs.

We think that ought to be enough for the first lesson. Practice diligently, and let's know how you get on, and we'll come and bail you out.

Adieu! (French)

STIFF

(with a smile to all concerned)
If you are broke, with nothing in the larder,
And rent and bills and payments overdue,
If day by day life's weary road seems harder
And debt-collectors shower writs on you,
If you've no hope of finding a bonanza
(The one that yields twelve ounces to the ton),
Then, with our Eddie and him who's penned this stanza,
You are a modern Hongkongite, my son.

'EAR I 'EAR I

Nature is wonderful! A million years ago she didn't know: we were going to wear spectacles, yet look at the way she placed our ears.

BY THE SEA

Those who go down to the sea in sampans must have noticed several figures on yachts with rods and lines attached to them. These are fishermen.

These fishermen are not dead. They are merely ossified, and every few months the government send a man to brush the cobwebs off them. They never catch any fish.

By the side of each fisherman is parked a can full of worms having no end of fun, wriggling about and inventing new dance steps for gipsies, playing tag, and making faces at the passers-by. We know one worm that crawled out of its tin and started for home, but was arrested at the end of the pier by a sparrow for passing a green traffic light when it was red.

It is a mistake to think that a fisherman can't come to life. You tap one on the shoulder and ask him if he has caught anything yet, but first be sure that you've got a clear run to the police station.

RUMOURS OF MONARCHY IN GERMANY

OR HITLER AS PRESIDENT

VON HINDENBURG
LIKELY TO RETIRE

OUTCOME OF THE ELECTION

The election in Germany on November 12 may mean the abolition of the office of Reich President.

There are many indications that, once the nation has overwhelming endorsement of Chancellor Hitler's policy, President von Hindenburg will decide to retire to Neudeck and make the Nazi chief Germany's ruler.

It is little doubted that President von Hindenburg will gladly resign in favour of the ex-Kaiser, and in this connection the recent visit of the ex-Crown Prince to Neudeck is much commented upon in political quarters. Among Nazi quarters, however, there is little enthusiasm for a monarchy.

The question of abolishing the office of the Reich President after von Hindenburg's retirement and the creation of the office of Reich leader combined with the Chancellorship has often been discussed by leading Nazis.

HENDERSON SPEAKS FRANKLY

Not a government could be trusted to remain loyal to the cause of peace if it flouted the collective peace system to which the world was now pledged, declared Mr. Arthur Henderson, the Chairman of the Disarmament Conference, in a frank speech at Geneva when receiving a resolution passed by peace societies.

"The situation to-day," Mr. Henderson continued, "is graver than at any time since the Disarmament Conference first met. The withdrawal of Germany makes it necessary to ask ourselves what we are trying to do here in Geneva. The vast armaments of nations to-day are inspired by fear. If they continue to grow, their weight in the end will break down the peace of the world."

"The need of a disarmament convention," concluded Mr. Henderson, "is therefore greater than ever."

IMPROVING LOCAL ADMINISTRATION

Kwangtung Conference Opens To-day

Canton, Oct. 20. Mr. Lin Yun Koi, Civil Governor of Kwangtung, will preside over the opening meeting of the province-wide administrative conference this morning, which is to be attended by over ninety magistrates of various districts of the province.

The conference is the first of its kind held in Kwangtung, and its object is to improve local administration by the adoption of resolutions which will be submitted for discussion at the conference.

After the opening ceremony, the conference will set to work this afternoon, the plenary session probably covering a week or so.—Central News Agency.

THE POU YUI YI CASE

CANTON GOVT. MAKE SECOND PROTEST

Canton, Oct. 20. The latest development of the Pou Yui Yi case is the second protest lodged with the Japanese Consul by the Canton Municipal Government yesterday as a sequel of non-reply to the first protest from him.

According to a spokesman of the Canton Municipal Government, the second protest is in the nature of offering a number of conditions for the settlement of the case, while the first protest only demanded the release of the Chinese naturalized Korean, by advancing the reason that a foreigner has no right to make the arrest of any person in Chinese territory.—Central News Agency.

MRS. V. C. LABRUM THANKED

FOR TAKING CASE TO POLICE COURT

LORRY DRIVER & A TYPHOON

Mrs. V. C. Labrum, of No. 87 Waterloo Road, appeared before Mr. Wynnes Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning as complainant in a case in which Au Man, the driver of a motor lorry was charged with dangerous driving in Waterloo Road on October 9.

It was stated by Mrs. Labrum that at about 8.15 a.m. she was driving along Waterloo Road when she saw a lorry coming out from Argyle Street. This lorry was proceeding slowly, and she followed behind.

At this juncture, another lorry shot out from Argyle Street, and cut in between her car and the first lorry. "Had I been going at any speed at all, I would have collided with this lorry," said Mrs. Labrum.

DEFENDANT'S STATEMENT. Questioned by the Magistrate, Mrs. Labrum said she was going at about 20 miles an hour.

Defendant denied that he was driving dangerously, saying that he did not think it dangerous to cut between the two vehicles as Mrs. Labrum's car was still quite some distance away.

A fine of \$25 was imposed. Addressing Mrs. Labrum, the Magistrate said, "I must thank you for coming up to Court to give evidence. I wish more people would do so."

Summoned for not securing his lorry properly to the lorry, Ng Lai was fined \$5. Sergeant Pennell stated that defendant was carrying some furniture, but it was so badly secured that a chair fell out.

Defendant excused himself on the grounds that as there was a typhoon on October 1, he did not take so much care.

The Magistrate: "What! And you chose that day not to secure your load? You should have taken more care."

DES VOEUX ROAD ROBBERY

Identification Parade Incident

When the trial of Wu Shiu-wing for armed robbery at 275, Des Voeux Road, in July, was continued at the Criminal Sessions this morning, Superintendent Scott gave evidence on an identification parade at which prisoner was picked out.

Nearly \$11,000 was stolen by seven robbers who poured kerosene over their victims and threatened to burn them.

In reply to Mr. J. A. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, witness said prisoner was allowed to ask questions at the identification parade.

The Chief Justice (Mr. J. R. Wood): Is that so?

Witness: Yes.

The Chief Justice: That is wrong. An identification parade is held for identification purposes—not for conversation.

Chang Sun-yuet, daughter of the victims of the robbery, said her hands were tied with wire and she was gagged and covered over with a cloth by the men. When they had gone she was able to mutilate her fingers sufficiently to release her mother who then freed her. She could not recognize Wu as one of the thieves.

Chang Koong, a relative also gave evidence and said he could not identify prisoner.

Prisoner's defence is one of mistaken identity. The case is proceeding.

SIR ERIC DRUMMOND

BRITAIN'S NEW AMBASSADOR

HIGH TRIBUTES IN LONDON

London, Oct. 19.

Sir Eric Drummond, the new British Ambassador to Rome, was to-day the guest of honour at a luncheon in London of the British Italian League over which Lord Rennell who was himself for some years Ambassador in Rome presided.

Warm tributes were paid to Sir Eric's services when he was Secretary General of the League of Nations.

The Prime Minister wrote: "From intimate experience I can say how deep was the debt of all those associated with the work of League to his passionate and tireless energy. I am very glad to think that his energy and wisdom will now serve the cause of Anglo-Italian relations."

The Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, proposing Sir Eric's health, said that as Secretary-General at Geneva he had quietly helped to remove more misunderstandings and found a way round more awkward corners than people realised.

AMBASSADOR'S TASK.

He referred to Sir Eric's distinguished predecessors in the Rome Embassy and added: "The work which our Ambassadors do in every great capital abroad is of the highest importance for their duty is to make plain the underlying purpose which inspires British policy, namely, to respect the rights of all others just as we are determined to maintain our own in a spirit of equal justice and to promote not merely friendly relations but friendly feelings between Britain and all the world."—British Wireless.

SHIP WATCHMAN

SMUGGLING TOBACCO INTO COLONY

Crown-Sergeant Ghani Khan, head watchman aboard the s.s. Nam Nam, was fined \$50 or one month's hard labour by Mr. Balfour in the Central Police Court this morning for the possession of two pounds of tobacco on which duty had been evaded. The man was arrested by R. O. Grimmer.

On arrival of the s.s. Nam Nam last night the defendant was seen to immediately disembark and board the s.s. Sai On and from a lifeboat extract the parcel of tobacco.

R. O. Grimmer asked for a serious view to be taken as it was the defendant's duty to prevent smuggling.

DISARMAMENT

CABINET SUB-COMTEE MEETS

London, Oct. 19.

The Disarmament Sub-Committee of Cabinet members, of which is included the Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Sir John Simon, and Lord Hallam, met at No. 10, Downing Street this afternoon.—British Wireless.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

HEAVEN'S HELP IS BETTER THAN EARLY RISING.—Cervantes.

The wedding is announced to take place shortly of Mr. John Ward Green, engineer of Messrs. Jardine Matheson, to Miss Alexia Robertson, of 271, Prince Edward Road, Kowloon.

It is announced this morning that the wedding between Pte. James Leslie Bryant, of the Lincolnshire Regiment and Miss Lucy Leong of 77, Jaffe Street, will not take place.

Charged with the theft of bailee of \$245 from the Lai Wo Cheung wine shop, 268, Hollywood Road, a ship's coolie, Fong Chuen, was sentenced to two months' hard labour by Mr. Balfour in the Central Police Court this morning. The money was recovered.

ACCOMPLISHED DANCERS

BALLROOM DISPLAY AT H.K. HOTEL

1933 QUICK STEP

Ballroom dancing, one of the most neglected of the terpsichorean arts in Hongkong, promises to receive a tremendous impetus as a result of the visit here of Mr. J. A. Andrews and Miss Ursula Preston. Yesterday they made their first public appearance in the Colony when they gave an exhibition of the 1933 Quick-Step at the Hongkong Hotel tea dance.

A crowded Roof Garden gave them a vociferous welcome, and their polished display must have been an eye-opener to those strangers to the standard of dancing existing among the English ballroom professionals.

They introduced a novel note by inviting couples on to the floor after their demonstration and individually showing how to perform the cross-over chaise.

SUPERB TECHNIQUE.

Not only to the ordinary dancer, but to the student of ballroom dancing, Mr. Andrews and Miss Preston were a sheer delight. Their technique was above reproach and was obviously invested with the genius of Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sylvester.

Enthusiasts would do well to note the footwork, balance, poise, rhythm and strict adherence to tempo of Mr. Andrews and his partner. Equally illuminating is their demonstration of that most famous of all features of English ballroom dancing technique, the Contra-Body-Movement.

It is gratifying to know that these accomplished dancers will be in Hongkong for at least a month, during which time they will be making regular appearances at the Hongkong Hotel tea dances and later at the Peninsula Hotel dinner dances.—S.A.G.

KOWLOON TAXI INCIDENT

YOUNG LONDONER CHARGED

A sequel to an incident in a taxi alleged to have taken place on the Tsun Wan Road, was the appearance before Mr. Wynnes Jones, the Kowloon Magistrate this morning of George Clarke, aged 21, of London, on charges of larceny from the person of \$4.10 and of assault.

Defendant was accused of having hired a taxi on Tuesday morning and after being driven to Castle Peak assaulted the driver near Tsun Wan on the return trip. The victim was then robbed of \$4.10, it is alleged. Two Indians who were stated to have been with Clarke have also been arrested but no charge has yet been brought against them. The defendant was remanded for 24 hours to verify a statement that he had recently arrived in the Colony by the Glenearn.

CHINA'S "PRODUCTION CONFERENCE"

Productive Enterprises To Be Improved

Shanghai, Oct. 20.

Another novel conference is to be introduced in China when the "Production Conference" will take place at Hangchow, Chekiang, on November 1.

Leading industrial and commercial leaders and delegates of industrial, and agricultural organizations, will participate in the deliberations of the conference, which is summoned by the Central Government with the object of improving, and coordinating the productive enterprises and standardizing their products in the country.

Resolutions will also be submitted by some delegates for closer co-operation with financial circles with a view to improving and facilitating economic enterprises. The Government will be invited at the conference to take steps to regulate to certain extent the relation between production and consumption as a preliminary towards introducing planned economy.—Central News Agency.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

A MANOFRORTE RECITAL FROM THE STUDIO

4.30-7 p.m. Chinese recorded programme. 7-10.30 p.m. European programme. 7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, etc.

7.3-8 p.m. Variety. Song—Boozy Bill's Friendly Lead. Boozy Bill and His Kals. MR817. Band—Kiss by Kiss. Band—The Turning of the Tide. Billy Cotton and His Band. MR672. Song—My Gypsy Rhapsody. Song—Gypsy, Sing for Me. Jan Zalski (Tenor). MR951. Organ Solo—Springtime Melinda. Organ Solo—You Are My Heart's Delight.

Quentin M. Maclean. DB703. Vocal Duet—Letting in the Sunshine. Vocal Duet—In a Little Second Hand Store. Layton and Johnstone. DB1101. Instrumental—Marigold. Instrumental—Musette. Fred Hartley's Quintet. MR878. Song—I Called to Say Goodnight. Song—Moon Song. The Velvet Voice. MR903. Piano Solo—Have You Forgotten? Piano Solo—Helen—Selection. Billy Mayerl. DB777. Chorus—Dug-Out Ditties. The Jolly Old Fellows. MR193. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.3-9.35 p.m. Concert Items. Song—Callie Herrin' (Nairne and Gey). Song—Annie Laurie (Old Scottish Air). Muriel Brunskill (Contralto). 9.17R. Octet—On Wings of Song (Mendelssohn, arr. Scott). Octet—Ave Maria (Bach-Gounod, arr. Scott). H. Squire Celeste Octet. 9.27S. Song—The Singer Was Irish. Song—A Nation Once Again. Peter Dawson (Bass). 516. Violin Solo—Legende (Wieniawski). Arthur Catterall. 9.56S. 9.35-9 p.m. Orchestral. Khovantchichina—Prelude (Moussorgsky). Flight of the Bumble Bee (Rimsky-Korsakov). Sir Hamilton Harty conducting the Halle Orchestra. 9.59S. Echoes of the Valley (Gennin). Sir Dan Godfrey conducting the Bournemouth Municipal Orchestra. 9.521.

9-9.30 p.m. From the Studio. A Manoforte Recital by Mr. Harry Ore. Programme. 1. Variations in F (Mozart). 2. Gavotte (Gluck-Brahms). 3. Cradle Song (Brahms-Grainiger). 4. May Night (Falmgren). 5. Musette (Sibelius). 6. Fairy Tale (Modiner). 7. Rhapsody No. 8 (Liszt). 9.30-10.30 p.m. Dance Music. Fox Trot—Moths Around the Candle Flame. Fox Trot—Dancing Butterfly. MR978.

Waltz—All Over Italy. Fox Trot—I Like Mountain Music. MR940. Fox Trot—It Was Four O'Clock in the Morning. Quick Step—Wear a Great Big Smile. MR917. Tango—Little Elizabeth. Tango—To-night. MR744. Fox Trot—Brother, Can You Spare a Dime? Waltz—I'll Never Have to Dream Again. OB552. Fox Trot—Brighter Than the Sun. Fox Trot—What More Can I Ask? MR881. Fox Trot—Just an Echo in the Valley. Waltz—A Little Street Where Old Friends Meet. MR780. 10.30 p.m. Close Down.

All records in the above European programmes are kindly supplied by Messrs. Anderson Music Co.

CHOPPER ATTACK RECALLED

MAN SENTENCED TO A YEAR

A chopper attack on a hawk, Yu Shiu, in Cochrane Street on September 19 last, was recalled in the Central Police Court this morning, when Mr. Balfour sentenced Tang Yee to twelve months' hard labour for assault.

The complainant, who has a deformed right arm, had his left arm chopped in three places, following an attack by the defendant and others in a tea-shop. The defendant was arrested in Wanchai by a detective yesterday.

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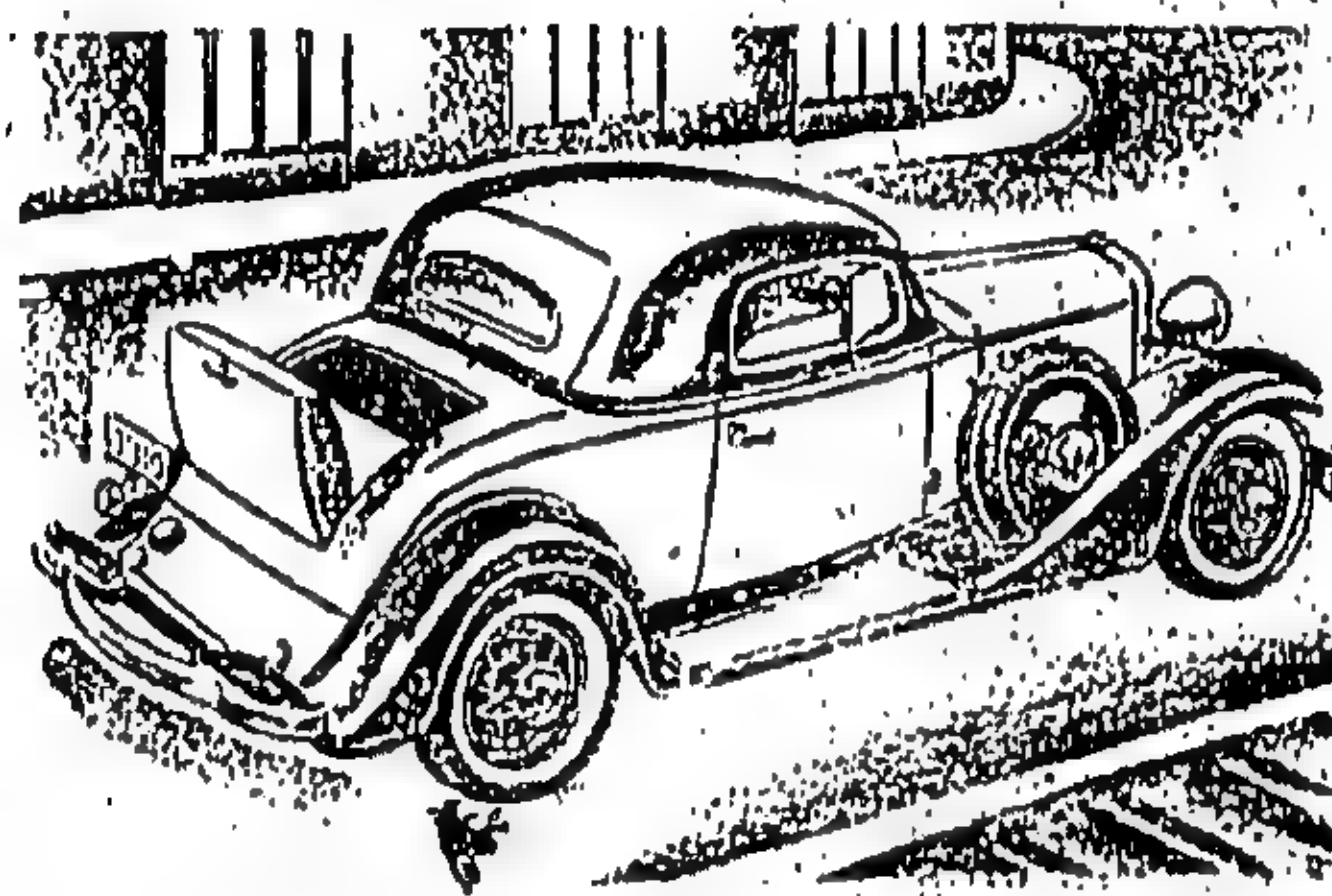
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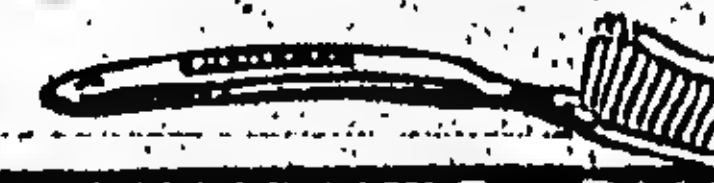


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PREVENTS PYORRHEA

THE SURFBOARD REGATTA

SUNDAY AT
CAUSEWAY BAY

NEW LOCAL TIME
RECORDS

ARE BOUND TO BE
ESTABLISHED

COMPETITORS ALL
KEYED UP

(By "Surfer")

Surfboard paddling looks
like coming into its own
in Hongkong this week.

The previous attempt publicly
to popularise this sport was not
altogether a rousing success, due
to adverse conditions. But on
Sunday the first real champion-
ship meeting of local surfer-
boarders, with the calm waters
of Causeway Bay as its venue,
is assured of success.

Not only will conditions be
ideal, but competitors, with expe-
rience behind them and each in the
position to point to a record of
regular and intensive training,
will be tuned right up for the oc-
casion.

THE BIG EVENT.

The big event of the pro-
gramme is the half mile open.
Although none of the competi-
tors have been clocked over the
full distance, times which have
been recorded are within ten
seconds of what the estimated
best time will be on Sunday.

For instance Ted Pagot has
skimmed through the water in his
practices for approximately half a
mile in 6 minutes 27 seconds.

Dick Maynard has covered the
same course in 6.23, whilst Bill
Butt has returned 6.25.

Lionel Roza-Perola, paddling a
strange board, has not yet been
timed, but he has shown equal
stamina and speed over the dis-
tance to that of Pagot and Butt.

TWO DIFFERENT STYLES.

In view of this, the man who is
in the best physical condition
stands the better chance of win-
ning. None the less it is reason-
able to regard Pagot, Roza-
Perola, Dick Maynard and Butt
as the chief contestants. They
are all fast starters, and this, in
spite of another school of thought,
is a distinct advantage.

However Bill Tanner, Wilfrid
Lawrence, Ernie Lamont and
George Goodwin stand by the
theory of an easy start with
long easy strokes for the first
half of the race, working up to
a burst of speed over the latter
part of the course.

It will be interesting to see the
result of this clash of methods.

The Ladies' race over 100 yards
has attracted the interest of the
V.R.C.'s leading mornings. Miss
Doris Hunt, Mrs. Jean McMahon,
Miss Betty Pestonji, and the pre-
sent title-holder, Miss Marie da
Rosa, will be among the starters,
and from them should emerge the
winner.

Certainly this will be a better
race than the event at Repulse
Bay. All of the ladies have shown
marked improvement in handling
their boards and consequently in
speed.

If asked to select the winner
I think I would nominate Miss
da Rosa to retain the title.

THE "VETERANS" AGAIN.

The "over 30" event once again
figures on the card and this time
it will assuredly be a race worth
seeing. Most people confidently
expect Geoffrey Lamont to
avenge his defeat of last August.
Conditions will be in his favour,
for it is a sprint race over calm
water.

Bill Tanner, the previous win-
ner, will in fact, meet with op-
position not only from Lamont,
but from Johnny Soares. Bill had
better look out!

The men's 100 yards dash is
really the biggest guess and guess-
ing event of the afternoon.
Training results have been kept so
quiet that one is unable to form
any definite opinion as to the
probable outcome.

But it is of interest to note
that Wilfrid Lawrence is having
made an exact replica of
Lionel Roza-Perola's new board
"Succana," and this will tremen-
dously strengthen his challenge.
Ernie Lamont and Ted Pagot

are both recognised Speed Kings
on surfboards in local waters,
whilst Dick Maynard's chances
cannot be overlooked. He has
made unusually rapid strides since

FULL PROGRAMME.

Here is the full programme for
Sunday-afternoon:

Men's Open Half Mile
Men's Over 30, 100 yards
Ladies' Open 100 yards
Men's Open 100 yards
Men's 100 yards
Ladies' 440 yards Relay Race
Men's 440 yards Team Race

The V.R.C. ladies team for the
relay race will be: Miss Doris
Hunt, Miss Betty Pestonji, Miss
Marie da Rosa and Mrs. J. Mac-
Mahon.

The V.R.C. are entering two
teams for the Men's Team Race,
which will be comprised, as
follows:
1st team:—E. Pagot, W. Law-
rence, W. Butt and L. Roza-
Perola.
2nd team:—W. Tanner, R.
Maynard, E. Lamont and L.
Soares.

becoming a devotee of the sport,
and his excellent physical condi-
tion will be another factor in his
favour.

MYSTERIOUS BILL.

Finally, however, there is Bill
Butt, already crowned sprint King
of Hongkong. Bill has kept very
"Brer Rabbit" about his trial runs,
and nobody has been able to obtain
any information concerning his
new racer "Senspray V." Never-
theless it is known that he has
broken 33 seconds over the course,
which is not bad going.

But here's the point. It is
equally well known that all of the
above mentioned competitors have
either made, or improved on 34
seconds, so that Bill hasn't very
much to spare, if anything.

SCRAPPY GAME

HOCKEY WIN FOR BORDERERS

Y.M. THREE SHORT

The Y.M.C.A. Second XI suffered
defeat by the odd goal in five when
they met the second team of the
South Wales Borderers on the
U.S.R.C. ground yesterday. The game
was scrappy throughout and feature-
less. Owing to the late arrival of the
Y.M. players play did not commence
until twenty-five minutes after the
scheduled time and as a result only
20 minutes each way was played.

Even when the game started the
Y.M. were three players short, and
Allen, who happened to be on the
field, was brought in at right half.
In the first ten minutes, before the
arrival of S. Fowler and Chadderton,
the Borderers were two goals up,
the scorers being Andrews and Inkley.
They were constantly on the off-
ensive. When the Y.M.C.A. side was
complete, play evened up and shortly
before the interval Chadderton re-
scored the Borderers' lead. In the
second half play continued to be
scrappy and each side netted once,
Lieut. Richardson for the S.W.B. and
Howitt for the Civilians.

INCOGNITOS WIN.

In a friendly game on the Navy
ground at King's Park the Incognitos
defeated the Tamar by four goals to
one. At half time the Incogs led by
1-0. Pinto netting.

After the interval Souza scored
twice and Xavier once for the In-
cognitos and the Tamar inside right
replied for the sailors.

HONGKONG SUCCESSES AT NANKING

LADIES SWIMMING TITLE WON BY MISS YEUNG SAU-KING

Nanking, Oct. 19.
Canton captured the men's cham-
pionship in the swimming section
of the National Sports, and Hong-
kong was second. Hongkong won
the girls' title in the same section.

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The hundreds of sportsmen from
Hongkong, Canton, Shanghai and
various provinces of China were
gathered at a dinner last evening
given by Mr. Wang Ching-wei,
Minister of Education and Chairman
of the Executive Yuan.

After expressing the highest appre-
ciation of the excellent displays by the
competitors representing the
leading swimming clubs of Hongkong,
and the Tungshan Aquatic Club in
Canton did magnificently in the
different swimming events, which were
contested yesterday afternoon. Miss
Yeung Sau-king, the well known local
swimmer, won the 200 metres breast
stroke final heat. Miss Lau So-lai
of Canton came in second and Miss
Yeung Sau-king third in the same

race. Miss Lam Dor-lai of the Chung
Sing Swimming Club, Hongkong, and
Mr. Kwok Chun-hang of Hongkong
also did well in the heat events.

Full results of the other events
appear as follows:
100 metres free style for lady
swimmers, heat 1, Miss Chao Woon-
king (Canton); 2, Miss Yeung Sau-
king (Hongkong); 3, Miss Ho Man-
gar (Chinghai). Second section for
the same heat: 1, Miss Yeung Sau-
king (Hongkong); 2, Miss Chan Yuk-
lai (Canton); 3, Miss Tse Shui-ling
(Canton).

200 metres free style relay race for
men: 1, Canton team; 2, Hongkong
team; 3, Shanghai team; 4, Chinghai
team. Time: two minutes 1.1/5
seconds (Record for China).
50 metres breast stroke for men:
1, Lau Po-hay; 2, Chan Ching-hing; 3,
Kwok Chun-hang; 4, Shek Kai-pui
(Canton). Time 32.8/5 seconds
(China record).
400 metres free style for men: 1,
Tse Hing-tang (Fengtien); 2, Wong
Hung-lung (Fukien); 3, Shek Kam-
pui (Canton); 4, Chan Ki-chung
(Canton). Time: 5 minutes 51 seconds
(China record).
(Continued on Page 9.)

CAN THEY RETAIN 100 PER CENT?

KOWLOON MINUS JONES

FOR GAME WITH ST. JOSEPH'S

THE PROSPECTS

(By "Veritas").

With a 100 per cent. record
from three matches putting
them firmly at the top of the
table, there are not a few foot-
ball fans willing to back the
Lincolns for senior league hon-
ours this year.

Personally I feel it is too pre-
mature to form any convictions in
this direction. Firstly the Lin-
colns have to prove their stability.
How often in the past have teams
of the calibre of the Lincolns
shown amazingly good form at
the start of the season and then
fallen to pieces against sides
whom they should have wiped up?

This, perhaps, is one of the
most distinctive features of the
Chinese and European teams in
Hongkong. If South China play
a couple of really bad games in
a season the matter is serious
enough to call for concern
among their supporters. With
the European clubs, however,
one looks in vain for any real
consistency of form and from
week to week they go in danger
of defeat.

Furthermore it has to be re-
membered that now South China
have been granted a reprieve re-
garding their broken October
engagements they can re-enter the
arena knowing that they start on
level pegging in the championship
race.

IN SPITE OF IT ALL.

Although I have been impressed
with the Lincolns; must recognise
the potentialities of the Borderers
and acknowledge the tremendous
improvement in the Athletic Club
and Kowloon. I find it difficult
to conceive South China being dis-
placed from the championship.

To-morrow, however, there
will be another "sorting out,"
a sort of "survival of
the fittest," for several
teams who have started the sea-
son with great promise will
clash.

The Lincolns for instance re-
ceive the Club and this suggests
itself as the most attractive match
on the card.

On normal form I am convinced
that the Lincolns can beat the
Club just as easily as they trounced
the Borderers last Saturday.
But the biggest test confronting
the soldiers is to prove their con-
sistency.

In the Club they meet a team
whose style of play is somewhat
different to that of the Borderers.
A team whose weakest link is the
half back line, who boast an

average defence and a real lively
forward line.

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the sting out of the Club attack,
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The following are some of the
principal Mamak League and
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MAMAK TOURNAMENT.

OCTOBER 22.

C.B.A. v K.I.T.C., King's Park,
b.o. 9.30 a.m.

K.I.T.C. v Gurdial Singh; Kar-
nail Singh, P.J. Naidu; G.M.
Khan, Waryam Singh, K. Hussain;
I.M. Singh, Harbachan Singh, A.L.
Souza, D. Noronha, H.M. Singh,
Rosserves, F. Khan and Hazara
Singh.

Radio v H.K. Mule Corps, Caro-
line Hill, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

OCTOBER 24.

R.A.M.C. v 12th. Battery, b.o.
4.30 p.m.

OCTOBER 25.

German Club v Royal Signals,
Marina, b.o. 4.30 p.m.

FRIENDLIES.

OCTOBER 21.

Radio v H.M.S. Bruce, Caroline
Hill, b.o. 4 p.m.

Radio v Man Singh; Karnail
Singh, J. S. Grewal; A. B. Kitchell,
Mohinder Singh, W. J. Chanson;
Wong So, N. Osman, Awtar Singh,
Attar Singh, Ma Choung-yung.
Reserves—Lo So, Lam Sik, Cheng
Kai, Lun, Wal-ling.

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C.B.A. v Hongkong Club, C.B.A.

OCTOBER 24.

Radio v Club de Recreo, Caro-
line Hill, b.o. 5.10 p.m.

Y.M.C.A. 1st XI v South Wales
Borderers 1st XI, King's Park, b.o.
5 p.m.

C.B.A. v Incognitos, C.B.A.

OCTOBER 25.

Police v R.A.S.C., Mongkok, b.o.
4.30 p.m.

South Wales Borderers v Hong-
kong Club, Chatham Road, b.o.
5.15 p.m.

OCTOBER 26.

St. Andrew's v Jat Regiment,
Marina, b.o. 5.15 p.m.

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Radio v University, Caroline
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FANLING GOLF

STARTING TIMES FOR
SUNDAY

Following are the starting times
for Sunday at Fanling:—

Old Course	
9.28 a.m.	J. A. R. Selby, A. E. Lissaman.
9.32	" C. Young, H. S. Dinsdale.
9.36	" N. K. Littlejohn, G. T. May.
9.40	" A. K. Mackenzie, F. D. Hunter.
9.44	" H. H. Mundy, C. W. F. Booker.
9.48	" C. E. Moore, C. G. Marrable.
9.52	" A. T. Lay, H. C. Hopkins.
9.56	" A. O. Brown, C. W. Jeffries.
10.00	" J. W. Mayhew, A. McKellar.
10.04	" A. B. Purves, F. A. Rodmond.
10.08	" H. N. Williamson, P. S. Grant.
10.12	" O. Eager, E. des Voeux.
10.16	" G. W. Reeve, F. Austin.
10.20	" D. M. Kerr, F. R. Otto.
10.24	" C. H. Bradley, E. D. Matthews.
10.28	" A. D. Humphreys, W. N. Buyers.
10.32	" G. C. Worrall, H. S. Forster.
10.36	" E. Davidson, R. H. Wilde.

New Course.

9.32 a.m. C. Richards, H. Hampton

NANKING SPORTS
TROUBLEBasketball Team
Leaves Field

Nanking, Oct. 18. The Canton girls today won the Indoor Basketball championship, defeating Shanghai in the final by a score of 11 to 10. The game was exciting throughout.

In the Girls' Volleyball semi-final, Shanghai defeated Canton by 3 to 0. Peking defeated Hongkong by 3 to 1.

In the Men's Basketball semi-final, Shanghai defeated Canton under rather disturbing circumstances.

There was considerable hissing as the crowd of spectators protested against the referee's alleged unfair decisions. A strong protest was made against one of the Shanghai guards frequently delaying the game by holding the ball, neither moving nor attacking. Before the game ended, the Canton team walked off the field in protest against the alleged unfairness of the referee who announced that Canton had forfeited and awarded the game to Shanghai 3-0.

It is understood that Canton has filed a protest to the meeting against the unfair decision.

In the other semi-final, Hanoi defeated Nanking. If the decision of the referee is upheld by the Committee, Shanghai will meet Hanoi in the final to-morrow.—Reuter.

HONGKONG SUCCESSES AT
NANKING

(Continued from Page 3.)

Tze Hing-tang (Fongtien); 2, Kwok Chun-hang (Hongkong); 3, Tze Hing-lung (Fongtien); 4, Shek Kam-pui (Canton). Time: 23 minutes 27 seconds (China record).

100 metres back stroke for men: 1, Lau Po-hay (Canton); 2, Chan Chen-hing (Canton); 3, Kwok Chun-hang (Hongkong).

There was a slight hitch in the hundred metres heat for ladies when a Hongkong competitor, Miss Leung Wing-han was disqualified for turning too soon. The Hongkong entry disputed the decision and the matter was brought to the attention of the chief judge, Dr. C. T. Wang, the former Nanking Foreign Minister.

Volleyball section final: Shanghai defeated Canton after a keenly fought out game in which Shanghai proved superior and won all three games. Three thousand spectators were present.

Ladies basketball final: Shanghai defeated Canton by 36-20. The Shanghai team led at the first stage with the score of 10-11, but just before half time Canton reversed the score to 22-18 in the favour of the Southerners. After a fast last two minutes the Cantonese players were many times fouled and Shanghai won by 36-20.

In the baseball section Canton won from Shanghai, after a close contest, by 10-9.

Ladies' volleyball section semi-final: Shanghai defeated Canton by 3-0. In the other semi-final match Peking defeated the Hongkong ladies.—Yon Kiu Yat Po.

LONDON STOCK
PRICES

MARKET IRREGULAR

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuter. The market—Generally quiet and irregular.

Chinese Bonds		Oct. 18.	Oct. 19.
4 1/2% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)		£ 99 1/2	£ 99 1/2
4 1/2% Loan 1908		£ 88 1/2	£ 88
5% Loan 1912		£ 61 1/2	£ 62 1/2
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)		£ 80	£ 80 1/2
5% Bonds 1925-47		£ 80 1/2	£ 80 1/2
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.		£ 52	£ 52
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.		£ 20-25	£ 20-25
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)		£ 16-21	£ 16-21
5% P'hai-Hchow Ningpo Rly.		£ 69-95	£ 69-95
5% Honan Rly.		£ 15	£ 15
5% Hukwang Rly. 1911		£ 23	£ 23
5% Lung Tsing U. Rly. 1913		£ 13	£ 13
Foreign Bonds and Banks			
German 7 1/2% Int. Loan 1924		77	78
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907		£ 76	£ 77
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924		£ 87	£ 89
Industrials and Breweries			
Associated Elec. Industries		20/-	20/-
Brit.-Amer. Tob.		111/10	113/0
Chinese Eng. & Min.		20/6	20/6
J. & F. Coats		41/9	41/3
Courtaulds		43/6	43/6
Distillers		84/3	82/-
Dunlop Rubber		35/9	35/9
Eveready		29/1 1/2	29/3
General Elec.		45/0	45/0
Guinness		97/-	97/0
Impl. Chem. Industries		30/4 1/2	30/4 1/2
Impl. Tobacco		113/8	112/-
In. Tea Stores		92/0	92/10 1/2
Internat. Nickel		£ 19 1/2	£ 18 1/2
Pinehin Johnson		33/-	33/-
Turner & Newall		36/6	36/-
Unilever		23/3	25/-
Miscellaneous			
Anglo-Dutch		17/0	18/-
Burma Corp. Ltd.		13/9	13/4 1/2
Canadian Pacific Rly.		£ 13 1/2	£ 13 1/2
Gula Kalumpung Rubber		17/-	17/6
Trepan Mines		13/-	12/0
L. a. n. g. a. n. g. o. Rubber		27/9	27/-
London Tin		15/-	14/0
Rubber Trusts		25/-	25/8
Shai. Elec. Constr.		61/-	61/-
Van Ryn Deep		39/4 1/2	38/1 1/2
Oils			
Anglo-Persian Oil		48/0	48/0
Burmah Oil		38/0	38/0
Royal Dutch		£ 21 1/2	£ 21 1/2
Shell Trans and Trad.		54/4 1/2	53/0

SHARE PRICES
TO-DAY'S QUOTATIONS

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

Banks	
H.K. Bank	\$182 1/2 n.
Hong Bank, London	\$131 1/2 n.
Chartered Bank	\$15 1/2 n.
Maritime Bank, A. & B.	\$20 1/2 n.
Maritime Bank C.	\$12 1/2 n.
East Asia	\$104 n.
Am. O. Finance Corp.	\$h. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord.	\$h. \$4.75 n.
China O. Fin. Prof.	\$h. \$6 n.
Insurance	
Canton Ins.	\$325 b.
Union Ins.	\$578 b.
China Underwriters	\$2.10 n.
China Fire	\$395 n.
H.K. Fire Ins.	\$290 n.
International Assoc.	\$h. \$8.50 n.
Shipping	
Douglas	\$34 b.
H.K. Steamboats	\$18 n.
Indo-China (Pref.)	\$30 n.
Indo-China (Def.)	\$35 n.
Shells (Bearer)	\$4 1/4 n.
Union Waterboats	\$16 n.
Mining	
Antamoks	80 cts. s.
Balatoas	\$37 n.
Baguio Gold	75 cts. n.
Benguets	\$47 1/2 n.
Benguet Exploration	40 cts. n.
Benguet Goldfield	30 cts. n.
Big Wedge	40 cts. n.
Gold Creek	\$9 n.
Ipo Mining	\$6 1/2 n.
Itogons	\$7 1/2 n.
Kailan	20/6 n.
Langkats (Single)	\$18 1/2 n.
Shai Explorations	\$h. \$4.35 n.
Shai Loans	\$6.85 n.
Raubas	\$12 1/2 n.
Vonz: Goldfields	\$5 1/2 n.
Docks	
H.K. Wharves	\$124 b.
H.K. Docks	\$16 1/2 n.
S. China Motors A.	\$6 n.
S. China Motors B.	\$8 n.
Providents (old)	\$3.70 n.
Providents (new)	\$1.85 n.
Hongkows	\$h. \$348 n.
New Engineering	\$h. \$8 n.
Shanghai Docks	\$h. \$147 1/2 n.
Cotton Mills	
Ewo Cottons	\$14 1/2 b.
Shai Cottons	\$h. \$108 n.
Zoong Sings	\$h. \$18 n.
Wing On Textiles	\$h. \$80 n.
Lands, Hotels, etc.	
H. and S. Hotels	\$6 1/2 b.
H.K. Lands	\$78 n.
Shai Lands	\$33 n.
Metropolitan Lands	\$h. \$14 n.
Humphreys	\$12.85 b.
H.K. Realities	\$7.60 n.
Asia Realities "A"	\$h. \$140 n.
Asia Realities "B"	\$h. \$20 n.
Chinese Estates	\$92 n.
China Realities	\$h. \$16 1/2 n.
China Debenture	\$h. \$137 n.
Public Utilities	
Tramways	\$22.20 n.
Peak Trams (Old)	\$15 1/2 n.
Peak Trams (New)	\$7 1/2 n.
Star Ferries	\$101 s.
Yaumati Ferries (old)	\$28 n.
China Lights (old)	\$11.75 n.
China Lights (new)	\$11.50 n.
H.K. Electric	\$76 b.
Macao Electric	\$23 n.
Sandakan Lights	\$10 1/2 n.
Telephones (old)	\$35 1/2 n.
China Buses	\$h. \$11 1/2 n.
Singapore Traction	2/7 n.
Singapore Prof.	15/- n.
Industrials	
Malayan Sugars	\$15 n.
Cald: Macg. (old)	\$h. \$21 n.
Cald: Macg. (Prof.)	\$19 1/2 n.
Canton Ice	\$6 1/2 n.
Cements (Com.)	\$3.70 b.
Cements (old)	\$3 1/2 n.
Cement (New)	50 cts. n.
H.K. Rope	\$7 1/2 n.
Stores, etc.	
Dairy Farms	\$29.40 n.
Watsons	\$8 1/2 n.
Der A Wings	\$1 n.
Lane Crawfords	\$3.95 b.
Mackintoshes	\$21 n.
Sinceres	\$14 n.
Wm. Powell	\$2.10 n.
Wing On (H.K.)	\$170 n.

SPORT ADVTs.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

The TRAFALGAR DAY RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 21st October, 1933, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed.

No One without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, each Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27704), will close at 12 o'clock Noon.

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

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The Price of Admission to the Public Enclosure is \$2.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers in Uniform are admitted Half Price. Naval Ratings in Uniform will be admitted Free.

Bookmakers, Tio Tao Men, &c., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hongkong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

By Order,
C. B. BROWN, Secretary.

Hongkong, 10th October, 1933.

THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

REMINDER.

ENTRIES FOR THE AUTUMN

RACE MEETING to be held at Macao on Sunday, 29th October, 1933 CLOSE at 4 p.m. TU-DAY, 20th October, 1933.

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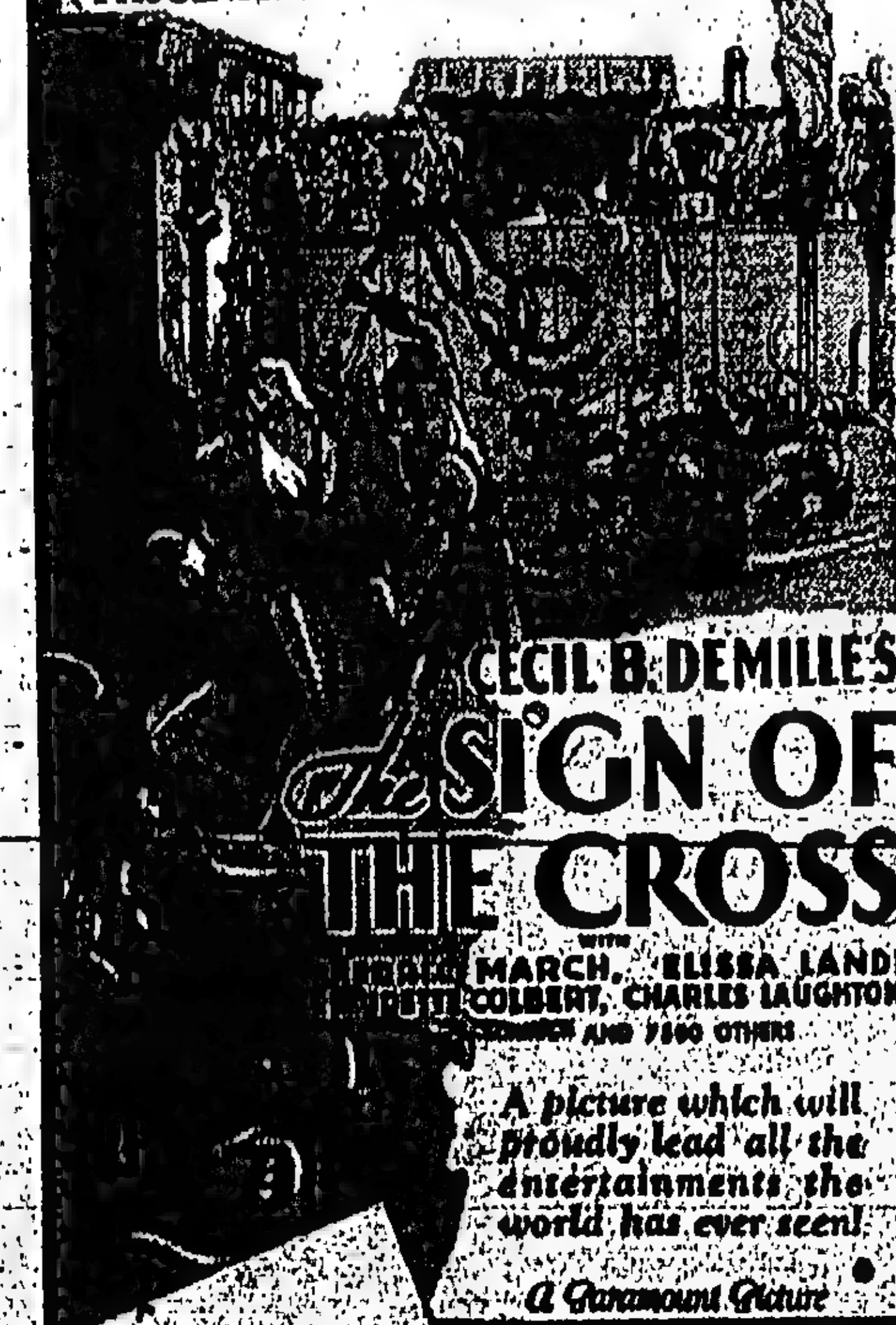
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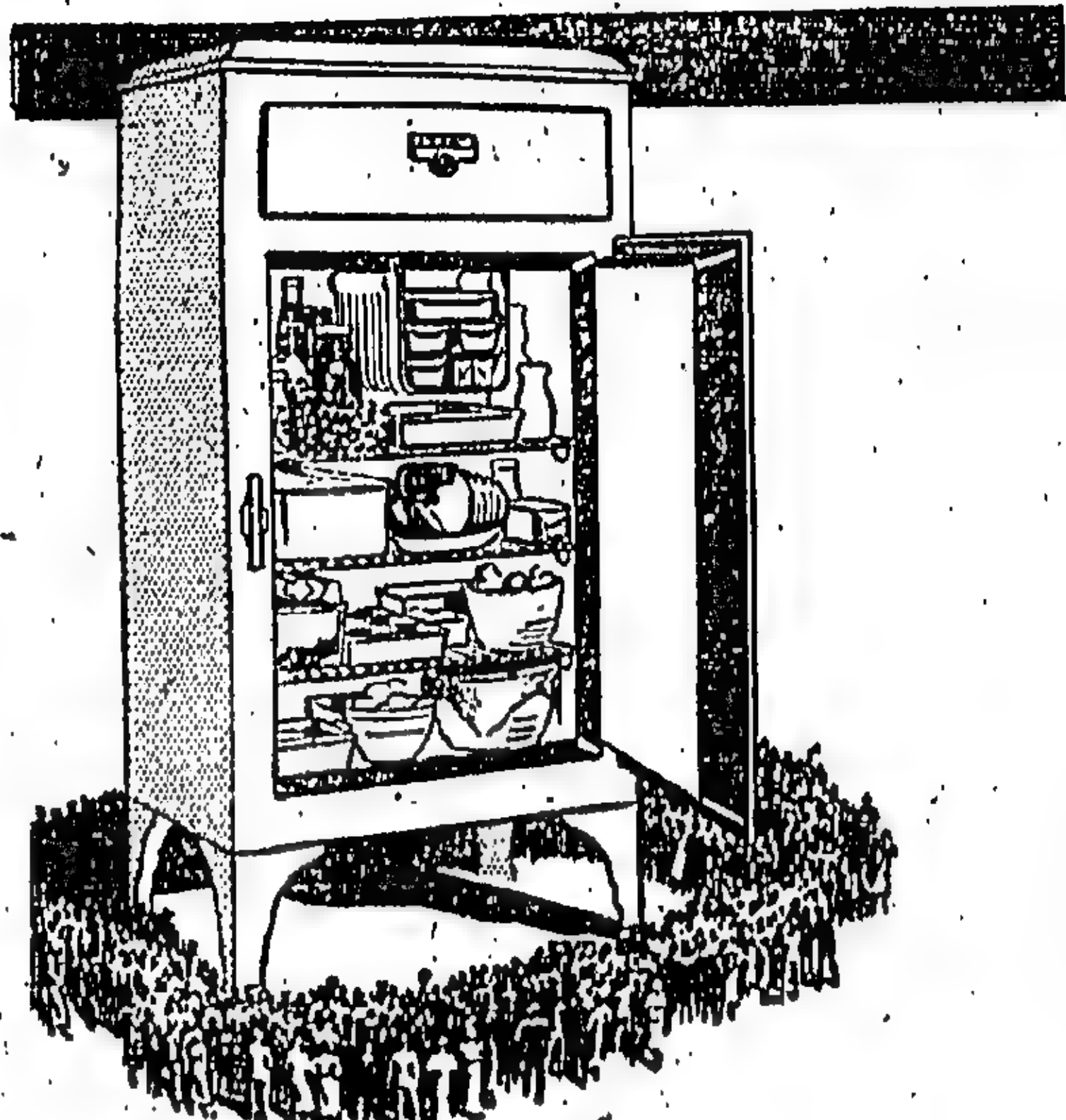
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NEW YORK STOCK
EXCHANGEYESTERDAY'S MARKET
EASY

According to Messrs. Swan Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was easy yesterday. Business done was 2,000,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal report on yesterday's market: The market pounded downwards due to worldwide liquidation including unloading by longs who have held stocks since June and July. The irregularities of foreign exchange and weakness of commodities also contributed to the decline. "We" stocks were inclined to be firmer due to Washington's embargo on the importation of foreign liquor. Gold-mining shares were weaker on account of lower gold quotation which is attributed to the U.S. dollar's new strength and the return of American capital from Europe. Our New York Office Cable (This morning.)

Stocks: Stocks appear for sale on all rallies. Constructive news needed to turn the tide. Wheat: The Government bought cash wheat and futures. Weakness of stocks caused selling. The cash situation is strong. Purchases are advised on all declines. Cotton: The market sought reports of expansion of holding movement. Basis firm. Light offerings, but futures lack follow-up on the buying side. At the Administration is reported dissatisfied with present levels further measures for improvement are possible. Silver: The market closed easy with speculators awaiting developments of the dollar exchange.

Cable received at 12:02 a.m. during our Night Service "Resistance points broken giving indication of lower market. Apparently no interest in Auburn Automobile. It is expected a drift with the market. Earnings statement does not compare favourably with other motors."

Dow-Jones averages:

	Oct. 18	Oct. 19
30 Industrials	88.95	84.88
20 Rails	36.39	38.00
20 Utilities	24.15	23.24
40 Bonds	84.41	84.11

	Oct. 18	Oct. 19
Alaska Juneau Mining Co.	10%	10%
Allied Chemical & Dye	133	128
American Can	85%	85
American & Foreign Power	7%	6%
Amor & For. Power	16%	15
American Metal	15%	14
American Smelting	34%	30
American Tel. & Tel.	114%	112%
American Tobacco	81%	79
American Water-works	20%	19
Anacosta Copper	11%	10%
Atlas Corporation	11	9%
Auburn Automobile	28	35
Baltimore & Ohio	21%	19%
Bethlehem Steel	27%	23%
Borden Company	22%	22

Borg Warner	12%	11%
Canadian Pacific Railway	12	11%
Case, J.I.	88%	85
Chase National Bank	20%	19%
Chesapeake Corp.	34	33%
Chrysler Corporation	38%	38%
Columbia Gas & Electric	18	11%
Consolidated Gas of New York	40%	30%
Continental Oil	16	16%
Corn Products	80%	77%
Douglas Aircraft	12	11%
Da Pont de Nemours	72	60
Kodak	72%	60
Electric Bond & Share	16	16%
General Electric	17%	16%
General Foods	33%	32%
General Motors	23%	24%
Gold Dust	17%	16%
Goodyear Tire & Rubber	28%	25%
International Harvester	28	25
International Nickel	32%	30%
International Tel. & Tel.	17%	10%
Johns Manville	47%	45
Kennecott Copper	17	16
Lehman Corporation	91%	90
Liggett & Myers	91%	90
Lowell Inc.	23%	25%
Loxillard P.	19	18%
McIntyre Porcupine Mines Ltd.	35%	32%
Montgomery Ward	17	15%
National City Bank	22	21%
National Distillers	90	90
New York Central	20%	20%
North American Company	17%	16%
Owens Illinois Glass	74%	70%
Pacific Gas & Electric	10%	19
Pennsylvania Railroad	25%	22%
Phillips Petroleum	14	12%
Richards Tobacco	47%	46%
Sears Roebuck	34%	32%
Shell Union	7%	7
Sunway Vacuum Corporation	10%	10%
Southern California Edison	10%	18%
Standard Gas & Electric	10	8%
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	50%	38%
Sterling Products Inc.	51%	50%
Studebaker Corporation	4%	4%
Texas Corporation	23%	21%
Texas Gulf Sulphur	32%	32%
Union Carbide & Carbon	37%	34%
Union Pacific	102%	97%
United Aircraft & Trans.	26%	25%
United Gas Improvement	16%	16%
U.S. Rubber	12%	11%
U.S. Steel	37%	35%
Universal Leaf Tobacco	41	40
Westinghouse E. & M.	32%	29%
Woolworth	37%	35%

WOMEN ARE THE
SELFISH SEX

(Continued from Page 6.)

selfishness to carry them into deeper water still. What of those devoted mothers who refuse to allow their daughters to leave home? They say the world is hard, they have no idea that the daughter has a right to live her own life; it is the only one she'll get, poor thing! These mothers use the means of all methods, tears and reproaches. "I've loved you ever since you were a baby, and now look how you are behaving to your poor old mother!"

Although women will declare that they adore their children, they will stand between them and their happiness, quite grimly. Selfishness again. Women also play the role of the invalid very well. What family is not harassed by some such selfish female relation who is idling about making everyone else work for her, "because she is so delicate?" It's nerves, says she. It's nonsense, say I.

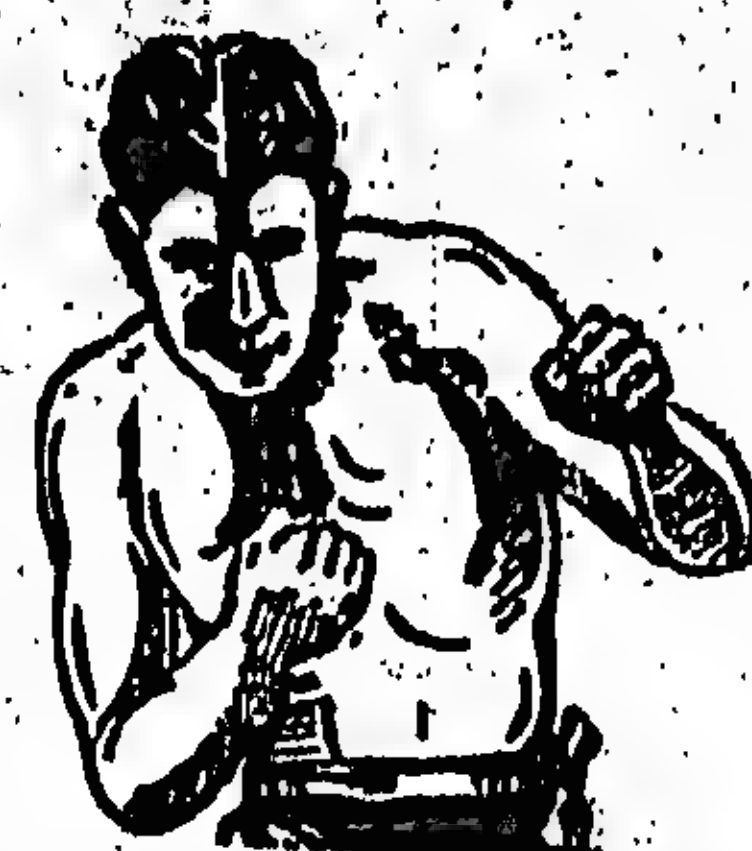
SHE WANTS ATTENTION.

When there is work to be done, when any unpleasantness arises, this languid lady takes to her bed, and pleads that she may not be upset because "it will bring on one of her awful headaches." Haven't you seen it scores of times? I have. The whole household hangs upon her whim. None of them seems to realise that her nerves are not illness, but that "hysterical" form of selfishness from which women, and women alone, suffer.

For generations women have worked at domesticity in comfortable surroundings, and when the family sat down at night, have assumed that martyr's air, and have said, "Yes, it is all very well for you, but I'm worn out." The family has had to hum round her in sympathetic admiration.

The truth of the matter is that woman wants the centre of the picture and if she can't attract attention by fair means she will use foul.

Selfishness is the canker that eats the heart out of the loveliest disposition, and it is the one great female fault, it mars her beauty, and what is more, it shows in her face. Look at the faces of women of fifty, as compared with the men of that same age, and what do you see? Discontent. Selfishness. The most exquisite mouth is prone to droop with it. The loveliest eyes grow hard.



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FANG RETIRES

LIVING IN SECRET IN
TIENTSIN

Peking, Oct. 19.
The latest Chinese reports state that General Fang Chen-wu arrived in Tientsin last night, but his abode there is being kept a strict secret.

More than 4,000 troops from General Fang's former command have been selected for service as regulars, and have left for Peking for training. Another 6,000 have been dismissed and disbanded.

Chinese reports assert that 1,000 troops belonging to General Tang Yu-lin, who recently arrived near the Great Wall, are very active. Government troops are reported to be closely watching their movements.—Reuter.

Men would never dare to make such demands on the other inmates of a house as a woman will make. She is unaffected by the public school code of honour. She is just determined to get her own way, and make other people useful to her.

Again I comment that I regret to write this. I regret it, but it is unfortunately true. Mine is the selfish sex.

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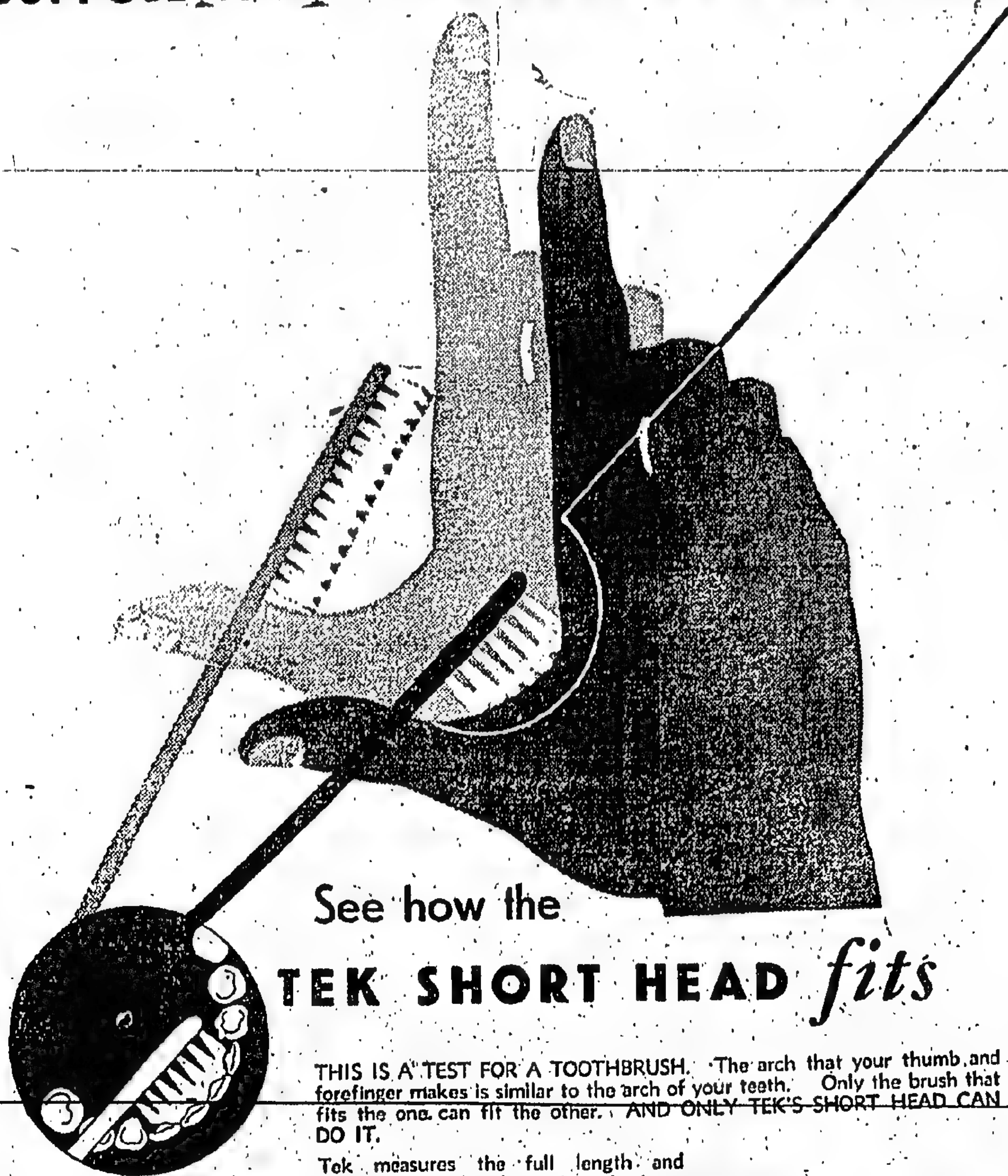
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QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchanges for yesterday.

Cotton.		Oct. 18.	Oct. 19.
Oct. 18.	Oct. 19.		
Closing.	Closing.		
Range.	Range.		
October.	9.01-9.01	9.00-9.00	
December.	9.16-9.16	9.16-9.17	

Wheat.

	Oct. 18.	Oct. 19.
October.	9.21-9.21	9.20-9.21
March.	9.30-9.30	9.33-9.33
July.	9.59-9.59	9.45-9.45
Spot.	9.05-9.05	9.05-9.04
	9.36	9.35

Silver.

	Oct. 18.	Oct. 19.
December.	36.05	36.05
March.	37.45	37.10
May.	37.65	37.60

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Variations of some of the existing routes, particularly of those showing no sign of economic return; Conversion of buses into Diesel-engined vehicles; Extension of the New Territories services, with a new fleet of buses.

These are among the more important measures planned by the Kowloon Bus Company under a reorganisation scheme designed to remedy existing faults and causes for complaint, and outlined in an interview by the Telegraph.

DIESEL-ENGINE EXPERIMENTS

The creation of a School of Manners may sound odd, but it has been recognized as a necessity by the Bus Company.

After a full survey of local conditions since taking over the various routes on the mainland, they are persuaded of this necessity, and in their scheme of reorganization which is being speeded up at the moment because of complaints, they have included this institution where, in addition to what is considered becoming in a conductor and driver, their employees are also taught:

- (a) the rules of the road and other traffic regulations and requirements; and
- (b) what to do in an emergency, accident, or breakdown.

"NIGHT SCHOOL"

These are the main features Mr. Lam Ming-fan, the Secretary of the Bus Company, claims for the new School which has now been functioning for some little time.

Three evenings a week, conductors and drivers off-duty are assembled in a building attached to the workshops at Kowloon, where, by means of lectures and demonstrations by competent officials, they are taught the essentials of their work, and of conduct befitting the efficient worker, the exemplary employee, and the courteous official too often missing from our buses and trams.

This gesture on the part of the Company seems an adequate reply to some of the complaints of bus-users; and if the unique scheme—it must surely be without its like anywhere in the world—does not attain the full success desired for it, Mr. Lam can assume nothing more than that conductors are psychologically hard to train and the public hard to satisfy.

PUBLIC CRITICISM.

The public criticisms of the Kowloon Bus Company, bringing into question the efficient control and management of the various routes and the number of vehicles required for a regular and reliable service, are similar to those answered by Mr. Ngan Shing-kwan on behalf of the franchise-holding Company on the island.

On the mainland, a special case appears to have been made out of an alleged inadequacy of service for the two residential districts of Kowloon Tong and Homantin, which it is recalled led to recent Court proceedings being instituted on the ground that a strict requirement of the official timetable was not being adhered to.

A MISAPPREHENSION.

It was this point which Mr. Lam Ming-fan in the Telegraph interview, particularly desired to clear up, as he connected it with a misapprehension. He pointed out that all previous Companies had made a practice of running extra buses in addition to the regular five or ten minutes time table.

But when his Company took over general control some of these extra buses, which are over and above official requirements, being in point of fact no more than voluntary concessions to the public, were for good and sufficient reasons withdrawn, with the result that the noticeable gaps created may have given a wrong impression where in reality the regular schedule was being strictly adhered to.

BUS TROUBLES.

He suggested this misapprehension as possibly behind most of the complaints, but that was not saying he was not fully cognisant of other and bona-fide factors having interfered with the desired smooth functioning of the lines—causes to be largely traceable to the poor condition of the vehicles leaving very much to be desired when his Company by the conditions of their franchise, were compelled, more or less, to take over from the previous Companies.

Most of these vehicles had been in service for a number of years and when turned over to them were in a state that would have made their further employment on the road without extensive repairs, a hazardous and perilous undertaking.

ENGINE REPLACEMENTS.

It was found the engines needed extensive replacements in parts; which meant that spare parts had to be sent for all the way from the manufacturers at Home, this in turn protracting the delay before the whole number of buses as originally required could be put into service.

He was in a position to promise that with the arrival of these spare parts at about the end of the present month, the necessary repairs would be speeded up.

Turning to the two routes jointly serving the Kowloon Tong and Homantin areas, and regarding which many complaints are said to have been received from residents, Mr. Lam proceeded to explain where possibly they had been in error in thinking that his Company had not been doing their best. He recalled that, formerly, direct connection with the Star Ferry was given not by one, but two routes.

Since his Company took over control, however, it was compelled by the commitments of their contract with the Government to divert the No. 8 Route to the Jordan Road vehicular ferry, leaving No. 7 alone to serve the mass of the Kowloon Tong and Homantin residents for whom it had been more convenient to take the Star Ferry.

RUSH HOUR PRESSURE.

There had, then, developed naturally a general concentration, with a tendency to overcrowd on the single Star Ferry line, leading to a marked congestion on the No. 7 route at rush hours. Despite the addition of extra buses at those

times, the situation was not relieved when, as often happened, office workers and school-children attending the many institutions that had begun to grow in those districts, all endeavoured to crowd into the first bus to come along. It was well, Mr. Lam commented, to call attention to (a) this diversion of one of the two feeder routes residents had become habituated to; and (b) this general tendency to overcrowd, lest these two facts were lost sight of in the general inclination to pick out flaws where in reality, these flaws were not of the Company's own making.

UNECONOMIC ROUTE.

Was this diversion in part, compelled by their contract, worth while? The Company's Secretary's settled view is that it was not, whether from the standpoint of convenience to residents of Kowloon Tong, or from that which was the Company's peculiar concern—revenue.

In support of his contentions he produced the following statistics compiled of monthly returns of passengers using the No. 8 Route since its diversion to the Jordan Road pier when the present Company took over management on June 11:

	1st Class	2nd Class
June 11-30	Nil	3,760
July	90	9,000
Aug.	80	4,800
Sept.	85	5,100

HEAVY LOSS.

The large number of 2nd class passengers shown by these returns in relation to the other class was explained by Mr. Lam to be due to the majority travelling only one way; from Kowloon Tong, but alighting at intermediate points.

On this comparatively little used Route four buses were being maintained at a daily average cost each of from \$30 to \$35, or a total monthly cost of over \$3,800. This was to be compared with the monthly receipts shown by the passenger returns of \$300—a heavy excess of expenditure over income which nevertheless had to be borne for so long, Mr. Lam said, as it was deemed desirable by the Government to continue each service.

FUTURE PLANS.

The Company's Secretary next outlined a number of proposals in his opinion making for an improvement in the present traffic system and necessarily for a smoother functioning of the various services: as a whole.

One of these proposals is to merge the No. 4 with the No. 11 Route, this to be secured by extending the No. 11 Route now starting from Shamshui, to include Canton Road, Jordan Road, Jordan Road and Tokwan (Bailley's Shipyards), and also taking in both the Hunghom and Kowloon City areas now being served by the other.

At the same time, he further suggested, the No. 5 Route (a highly unprofitable one as it now stands) may well be extended to the junction of Jordan with Gascoigne Road, in order to serve not only the points hitherto included, but also other localities now without a bus service. The full itinerary will then be as follows: Jordan Road and Gascoigne Road via Salisbury Road, Haiphong Road, Canarville Road, Kimberley Road, Austin Road, Tak Shing Street and Jordan Road.

It will then be possible to bring this route into uniformity of fares with the others by the two classes instead of only the First Class necessarily being asked for on the present shorter No. 5 Route; with the additional advantage of a much larger area being covered.

NEW BUSES.

On the New Territories where an increasing development is to be looked for, a direct service is being proposed between Un Long and Tai Po. The present service from Un Long ventures only as far as Sheungshui; and the footway traveller proceeding to Tai Po has to walk to Fanling there to board another bus on the road between that point and his destination. The extension suggested, will span the intervening gap between Sheungshui and Fanling, and connect the two existing lines. The points then enabled to be covered in a continuous journey will be Un Long—Sheungshui—Fanling—Tai Po.

These different proposals it is learned, are being considered in conjunction with the Police and the Kowloon Residents' Association, and if officially approved, will be put into effect with the least possible delay.

On the question of new and additional buses, the information was received with interest, that the Kowloon Bus Company are at

EX-FOK'S THEFT

TALKS TOO MUCH IN OPIUM DIVAN

Having robbed his former master of a box containing clothing, Wong Ping, 20, talked in an opium divan in Moon Street of his good fortune in having been left the clothing. A report was made to the Police.

He was charged before Mr. Schofield in the Central Police Court this morning and sent to prison for six weeks.

Sub-Inspector Nollath said defendant was dismissed about a month ago for laziness and had since been out of employment. He knew the time of day the complainant would be out and took the opportunity. Defendant was formerly employed as a bricklayer.

PETTY THEFTS

PRINTING FIRM'S LOSSES

Two messengers in the employ of Ye Olde Printerie, China Building, were brought before Mr. Balfour in the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with stealing a bottle of kerosene and a bottle of disinfectant.

"I wanted the oil to clean the clock," said Pun Cheuk.

"I wanted the disinfectant to kill bugs," remarked Wong Yat, in reply to his Worship.

Both defendants asked for leniency. Mr. V. C. Labrum, of the complainant firm, said the defendants would not be taken back, and both were bound over.

present experimenting with different types of engines and bodies in order to discover the most suitable (a) for present urgent needs and (b) for the time (anticipated to be not far ahead) when a system making for a standard uniformity and attendant economy in running expenses, will be evolved for the network of routes covering Kowloon Proper and the outer territories.

A MENAGERIE.

The present fleet of buses, Mr. Lam describes as a menagerie of different types, but must necessarily be given their normal spell of existence. The present times do not favour any too ambitious commitment; but while waiting for the moment propitious to carrying out ultimate designs, the Company is laying the foundations.

In the selection of a suitable all-round service engine, it is considering the possibilities of Diesel crude oil engines.

A Gardner unit which has taken the place of an older gas engine in a 30-seater bus, appears to have responded well to recent tests, and if eventually adopted for the Company's standard requirements, is estimated to reduce fuel costs by about 90 per cent. through the substitution of crude for refined oil.

NEW FLEET.

While these researches are being carried out, Mr. Lam claims that a present urgent need is about to be satisfied for the New Territories where a new fleet of 30-seater buses appears to be called for, and in respect of which the Company are now in communication with the responsible authorities. A British Leyland gasoline engine of which the Company are the agents, appears to meet local requirements, and its adoption is being considered.

THE NEW TERRITORIES.

Workshop and garage requirements are being served, Mr. Lam says, by a number of stations including the Company's own premises at Mongkok and the previous Company's at Kowloon City. These are to be further improved in the case of the Mongkok premises, which are also its head-office, by the roofing over of the eastern side of the compound to provide more covered-in space for the Company's large fleet of vehicles; and in the case of the Kowloon City depot, by construction work to cover part of the 60,000 sq. ft. of space available.

Un Long as the future centre envisaged for all New Territories routes, is already well served with a large depot; while another improvement that will be appreciated are proposed filling-stations at convenient points on the routes, doing away with the necessity of tanks being filled from the depots. Ultimately, it is hoped to centralise the whole traffic system in one depot at Laihekok, but it is a detail not just now being considered beside other and more pressing work.

EUROPEAN ENGINEER DISCHARGED

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stick. He then hit the deceased over, fell on top of him, and a fight ensued.

MEDICAL EVIDENCE.

Dr. Dovey, of the Government Civil Hospital, then described his examination of the deceased and the post-mortem he had held, which resulted in the discharge of the accused.

He said that the deceased was admitted into the receiving room, and was in a very violent condition, "but more or less" semi-conscious. He had a cut at the back of the head, but it was impossible to dress him as he was so violent, and they had to be content with just putting a bandage on his head. The deceased was then given a quarter grain of morphia and carried down to the ward and fastened to the bed.

STRAPS BROKEN.

That same night, continued witness, he was rung up by the Sister, who said that the deceased had broken all his straps. He then went down and repeated the dose of morphia. The deceased finally went into convulsions, which were typical of anemic epileptic form. He then gave him hyaline, which controlled his convulsions, but about twelve noon he became moribund, and died at 12.50 p.m.

Witness said that he then rang up the police as he had decided to perform a post mortem immediately. He was satisfied that it was not an ordinary case of concussion. So he asked the police to inquire whether the deceased was an epileptic.

NO BRUISES.

He started the post mortem at 1.45 p.m. Externally there was an irregular cut across the back of the head. There were no bruises round the cut, of which he made a special note. It was how- ever deep enough to "expose the bone. There was no bruising about the face, and there were no finger marks in the neck to suggest throttling. There was no other evidence of external bruises anywhere.

He then removed the scalp, but found no evidence of a fracture. He removed the skull and the brain, but there was no evidence of fracture to the base of the skull.

There was a bruise, not very extensive—below the right front of the brain, but otherwise there was nothing to suggest violence. He was not satisfied that this haemorrhage was due to violence because there was no bruising at the back of the skull, unless it actually happened at the same time as the cut at the back of the head.

DOCTOR'S CONCLUSION.

This cut could have been caused by hitting his head on the ground, or if he had hit a lamp-post or the kerb; There was also no evidence of dislocation of the vertical column. He then felt that deceased had died of natural causes, so he examined the kidney.

He sent the blood from the kidney and one kidney to the Government Analyst, and later received a report. The report on the blood showed that the urea was much higher than normally, being in fact seven times above the normal. He then diagnosed the case to have been suffering from uremia.

The report on the kidney, from the Bacteriologist showed that it was grossly diseased. The cause of death was uremia following a diseased kidney. These reports were typical of the type of epileptical convulsions from which he died. Haemorrhage in the brain was very common in kidney disease.

MAN AMOK?

Dr. Dovey then described the injuries on the accused, which he said consisted of seven marks which might have been inflicted by blows from a cane. They were all severe, and compatible with having been received from a man running amok.

Continuing, the Doctor said that the resentment of his solicitation being refused might be sufficient to contribute to the death. In this case, he inferred that the deceased's brain had given way, probably through the bursting of an artery, and this had caused more violent excitement.

In reply to Mr. Murphy, the Doctor stated that the other organs were healthy, but the stomach was very congested and swollen. The deceased was a very strongly built man, and about 42 years of age.

BIG GAME HUNTING

IN U.S. 15,000 YEARS AGO

NEW EVIDENCE REVEALED

Philadelphia, Pa.

Now evidence that big game hunters lived in North America fully 15,000 years ago was described in a report from Edgar B. Howard, a Philadelphia archaeologist, who is excavating New Mexico.

The find is an unusual stone spear head, exceedingly slender, of skilled craftsmanship. It was found near Clovis, N. M., in geological formations which indicate its approximate date.

Similar formations yielded bones of elephants and camels, long extinct in the Southwest. They also revealed campfire ashes of men.

The profusion of animals is taken to mean that either the Southwest was then a more rainy country, or that at the time the spearman lived it was still in sufficiently early stages of drying up to support the big game which he hunted.

Dr. Howard's report outlines previously found "impressive indications that man lived in North America perhaps 15,000 years ago." It starts with the finding of a human pelvic bone among extinct animals' near Natchez, Miss., in 1946. It ends with Gypsum Cave, Nevada, where campfire ashes estimated at nearly 20,000 years old were found about three years ago.

MEXICO DISCOVERIES.

The discoveries this Summer in New Mexico, he says, fit "quite perfectly into this picture of an ancient past for America."

"A study of the artifacts," he explains, "particularly the spear-points found at many of the sites mentioned and those secured in New Mexico (this Summer) reveals that they were not made like any of the more recent ones."

"One of these spear points, a most unusual type, is four inches long from its point to the place where it is broken; two and five-sixteenths of an inch wide nearest the base, and only one-eighth of an inch thick at its thickest place."

"Bringing these facts together we have an association of a spear point in a cave with extinct animal bones, and charcoal, and the point is the same type as that found in other sites associated with extinct animals."

A NEW CULTURE.

"It would seem that it is about time for us to recognize a culture in this country older than the basketmaker, more than likely a hunting culture following large herds of animals, frequenting the open country of the West and the Southwest, and perhaps extending to other parts of the country."

"It should not stretch our imagination too much to picture a people living at a time when the mammoth and other animals, now extinct, lived. We know that man lived with the mammoth in Europe, and why should he not have lived here under somewhat different conditions?"—Reuter.

Mr. Schofield.—I very much doubt whether it would be worth while going on with the case.

Mr. Murphy.—I would like if you would let it stand over for a few days.

SELF-DEFENCE.

Mr. Cole, who is appearing for the defence, objected to this saying on the doctor's evidence the accused should be discharged.

Mr. Murphy.—I should not like to put any hardship in the way of the accused, but if your Worship has decided, I am quite prepared to accept your decision.

Mr. Schofield.—Even if we assume that defendant had caused the excitement from which the deceased died, I don't think we are entitled to hold that such excitement would be likely to cause his death. It certainly seems that whatever the accused did was in self-defence. Discharged.

LORD BEATTY ON NAVAL NEEDS

BRITISH CRUISER SHORTAGE

URGES EARLY REMEDY

London, Oct. 19.

Another warning regarding Britain's naval weakness was sounded to-day by an Admiral of high reputation, none other than Admiral Lord Beatty.

Lord Beatty was addressing a meeting of the Navy League and he declared his earnest belief that the situation was serious, that Britain's weaknesses must be rectified at the naval conference to be held in 1935.

Britain, he said, had restored her credit but at "terrible risk."

She urgently needed at least seventy first-class cruisers and yet, at the best, she cannot have more than fifty by 1935.

Moreover, he said, the Navy's personnel had been dangerously reduced.

COMPARISONS.

He showed that the United States personnel of 107,000 represented an increase of sixty per cent. on the figure for 1914, while Japan's 88,000 in 1931 represented an increase of seventy-four per cent.

Britain, on the other hand, had only 50,000 officers and men in the Royal Navy, representing a decrease of 35 per cent. on the 1914 figures.

MAINTENANCE COSTS.

He also drew attention to the fact that Britain's naval maintenance expenditure totalled only \$43,000,000 annually, as contrasted with the United States' annual expenditure of \$75,000,000.

As regards cruisers, he did not cavil at the American demand for parity, but Britain's acceptance of fifty when she needed seventy was a grave and deplorable blunder.—Reuter.

AN AMERICAN WARNING

TO BRITISH NAVY LEAGUE

Washington, Oct. 19.

The American Navy League has prepared a letter for delivery to the British Navy League warning that "continued British antagonism towards the United States naval building policy would block the absolutely essential co-operation of the two nations."—Reuter.

"DISCOVERY" OFF TO-MORROW

FOR RESEARCH OF THE ANTARCTIC

London, Oct. 19.

The royal research ship, "Discovery" II, leaves London on Saturday on a voyage to Antarctic waters for oceanographic surveys and a research into the lives and habits of whales.

She will call at Tristan da Cunha with mail, afterwards proceeding to the Falkland Islands and South Georgia, where she will begin her lonely patrol of the fringe of the Antarctic continent.—British Wireless.

JAPANESE AIR PREPARATIONS

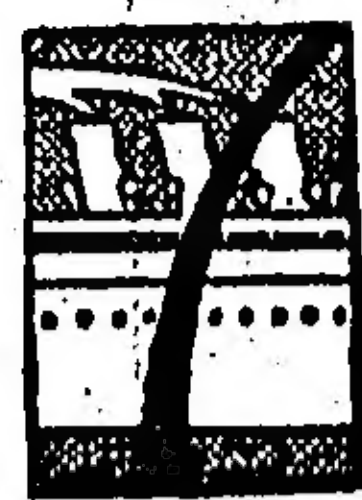
NEW BASES FOR NAVY PLANES

Tokyo, Oct. 17.

Coincidentally with the partial subsidence of the latest Russo-Japanese war scare, the Navy announces the establishment at an early date of new naval air squadrons at Ominato, in northern Honshu, and at Sacki, in eastern Kyushu.

The establishment of an air squadron at Port Arthur also is under consideration.

All these points would be strategic in the event of hostilities with Soviet Russia, which has a strong naval and air base at Vladivostok.

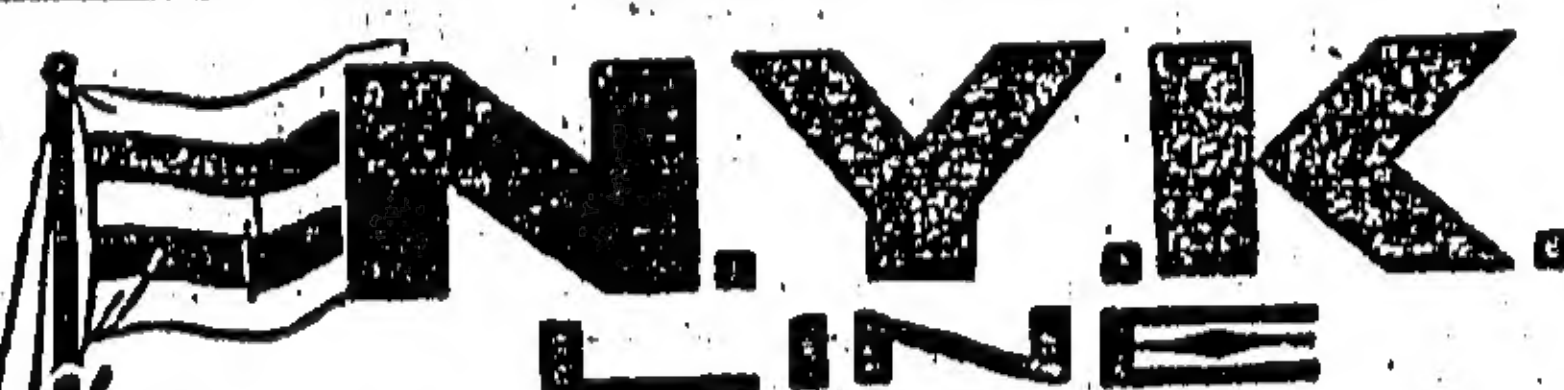
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**YEUNG WO HOSPITAL.****INSTITUTION UNDER A NEW ORGANISATION**

The transaction for the purchase of the Yeung Wo Hospital and its properties was completed yesterday in accordance with the original terms of the agreement entered into between the Hongkong Sanatorium Company and the outgoing concern. The agreed price was stated to be over three lakhs of dollars.

It may be recalled that the new hospital building with its up-to-date design equipment was opened in May of last year.

One of the principal objects of the Hongkong Sanatorium Ltd. is to reorganise and enlarge the various medical services of this well known hospital. It is a matter of common knowledge that the Yeung Wo in the past was very well supported by both the Chinese community and the Chinese medical practitioners of the Colony. Another declared object is that the charity surgical and charity maternity wards will be perpetuated and augmented, while the free out-patient clinic will be opened daily with extended hours.

It is learned that the name of Yeung Wo Hospital is being continued and that Dr. Li Shu Fan the former chairman of directors, is once more returned as chairman of directors of this new enterprise.

"SHADOWS BY THE SEA"

(Continued from Page 5.)

"And—and what shall I do—till you come back?"

A twinge of pleasure shot through him. That hint of dependence from a girl of grit was a considerable compliment.

"Do what you'd do without my telling," he answered. "Sit tight and keep your courage up."

"I'll do that."

"Don't I know you will?"

"You—help me to."

She turned abruptly, and was gone again. Leonard looked after her, then swung round to Jim.

"Well, come along, youngster," he exclaimed. "That is, if you're game to face it again!"

"Yesir," replied Jim. "I'll like yer there."

"Good man! You've got pluck, too, eh? Like your mistress?"

They left the hotel grounds, and walked briskly down the road. Jim's legs, had they been by themselves, would have become a little less brisk as they neared the bush-fringed gap that led down to the sands, but Leonard would tolerate no slackening, feeling indeed that they had delayed rather too long already.

They descended the gap.

"E's jest at the bottom, sir," whispered Jim.

"Is he?" replied Leonard. "I don't see him."

Jim rubbed his eyes. The well-dressed gent who had been lying dead on the rocks twenty minutes ago was gone.

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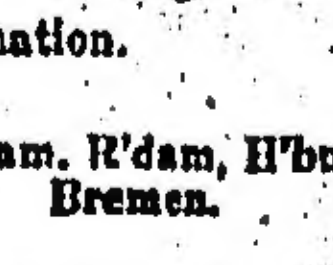
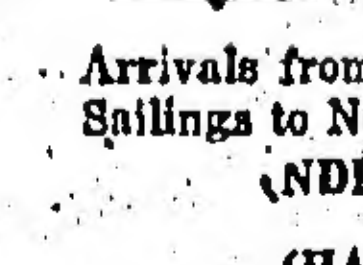
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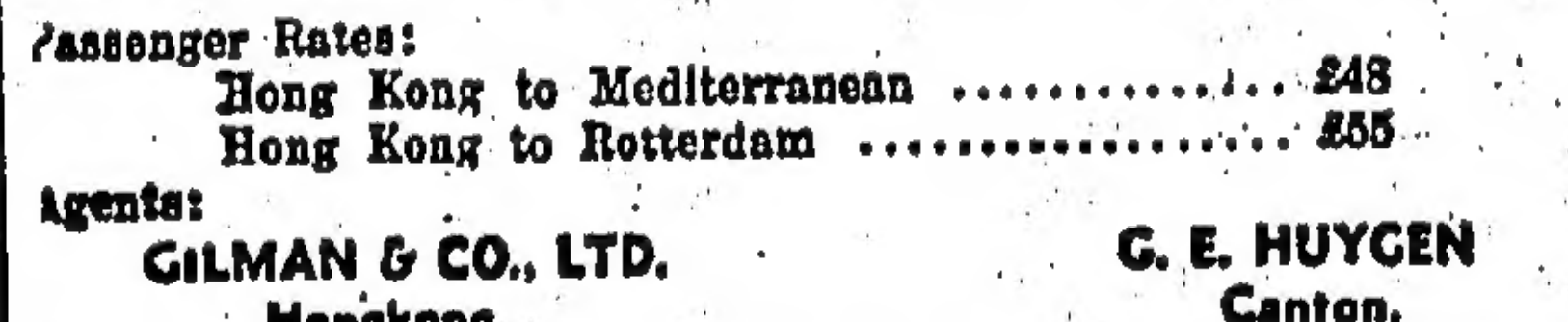
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A Smashing Melodramatic
Romance that Thunders
Out of the House of Hell
on Wheels!

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MORE RADIATOR CAP THEFTS

OLD OFFENDER ON SMALLER GAME

Wong Kan, who was sentenced
to twelve years' hard labour for
armed robbery in 1923, was sen-
tenced to two months' prison with
two years' Police surveillance by
Mr. Schofield in the Central
Police Court this morning, for
stealing a radiator cap from a
car owned by Mr. Goola, 56
Morrison Hill Road.

A second defendant, Tang Pong,
who pleaded guilty to stealing a
radiator cap from a car belong-
ing to Mr. White, 28, Lockhart
Road, was sentenced to seven
weeks' hard labour.

Detective-Sub-Inspector Nolloth
said that a district watchman in
Hennessy Road noticed the two
men acting in suspicious manner
outside the Foo Hung Garage.
With the assistance of a detective,
they were arrested. The first man
carried a basket in which were
the radiator caps, one of which
had been stolen from a car parked
outside the Police Club and the
other from a car parked at Caro-
line Hill Road earlier in the day.

The Inspector added that there
was quite an epidemic of thefts
of this nature and the radiator
caps were hard to trace as they
were all so alike. The complain-
ants had not reported their losses
when defendants were in custody
and he thought it was rather amu-
sing that the watchman on the part of the district
watchman and the detective.

MANILA THREATS

LEGISLATORS ARMED

INDEPENDENCE ACT WARNING

Manila, Oct. 17.
The Philippine Legislature will
be bristling with pistols and the
honourable gentlemen of the legis-
lative chambers will be armed
from now on as the result of a
threatening letter that those who
voted for the defeat of the Hawes-
Cutting law will be murdered in
cold blood.

Senate President Quezon and
Speaker Paredes both received
threats yesterday that they would
be killed.

The letters were taken seriously
by some representatives who re-
ceived them and they intend to
arm themselves to meet the would-
be assassins.

Speaker Paredes declares he is
going to go alone. After he was
elected speaker he has always been
accompanied by bodyguards, but
he said that to show that the
persons who make the threats are
welcomed, he prefers to give them
the opportunity by going around
unaccompanied.

MARKED MEN.

Lately members of the majority
have on the lapels of their coats
the picture of Senate President
Quezon. In addition to that they
have placed a larger button next
to Quezon's picture on the lapel
on which is printed the word

SPECIAL POLICE V BANDITS

BIG CHINESE FORCE FOR FUNING

Tientsin, Oct. 20.
Three thousand Chinese special
police have arrived at Chant in
two batches in accordance with ar-
rangements with the Japanese.
Their arrival has the immediate
effect of allaying the anxiety of
the inhabitants.

The majority of them will
advance to Fu-Ning which is still
within the grip of bandits, who
are believed to be easily eliminat-
ed by the superior force of the
special police.—Central News
Agency.

"Anti." This is pronounced as
dangerous by some of the legisla-
tors since it will make them easy
to spot. However, the members of
the majority do not intend to dis-
card their insignia, instead they
prefer to carry pistols and shoot
it out with whoever wishes to take
vengeance because of the defeat
of the law.

THE LETTER.

The letter of threat written in
pencil read thus: "Beware you
executioners of independence. We
are not if we are imprisoned as
long as we can kill all the traitors
to the country."

Below the text is the picture of
a pistol drawn in pencil with the
hammer cocked. The letters writ-
ten in red paper were postmarked
Manila, on October 15, at 11 p.m.
They were contained in white en-
velopes with the addresses type-
written and carrying four centavo
postage stamps.

THE HOUSE OF BIG HITS



To-day & To-morrow at 2.30, 5.10, 7.15 & 9.20



Only those without
love can call her

Disgraced!

A Paramount Picture with

HELEN TWELVETREES CABOT

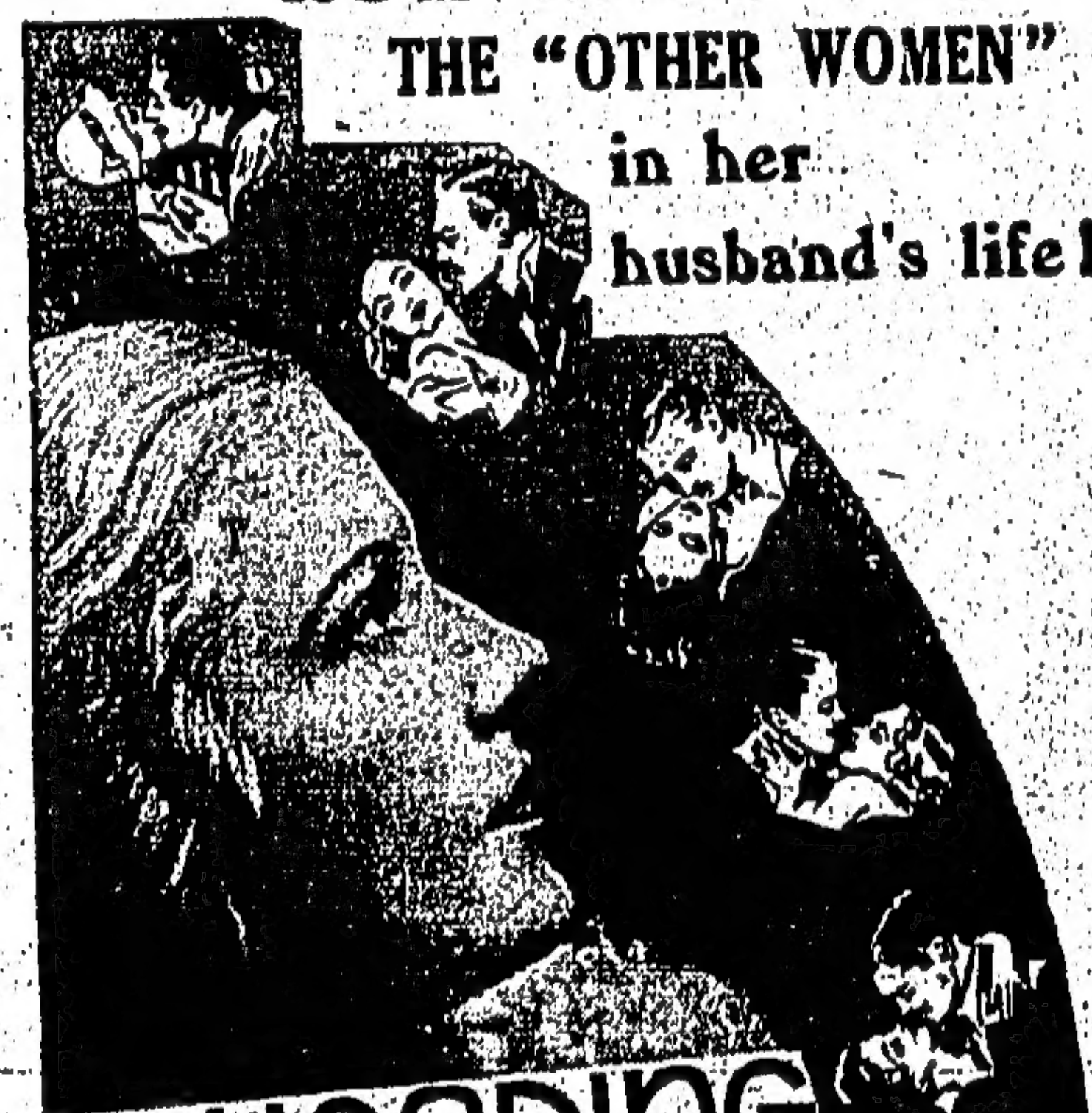
SPECIALTY

HELENE MADISON in "The Swimming Champ"

FROM SUNDAY

THE "OTHER WOMEN"

in her
husband's life!



Ann HARDING
Robert MONTGOMERY

When Ladies Meet

with
Myrna Loy
Alice Brady
Frank Morgan
He was a flirt! His wife knew
it! But she never knew why
until she met his beautiful young
sweetheart!

A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture

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TO-MORROW

STAR

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BANKHEAD
MONTGOMERY
in a picture for lovers
FAITHLESS

EXCHANGE RATES

	Oct. 19.	Oct. 18.
Paris	81.1/16	80.81/32
Geneva	16.87 1/2	16.85
Berlin	18.27 1/2	18.10
Helsingfors	22 1/2	22 1/2
Oslo	19.00	19.00
Athens	500	500
Milan	60.3/10	48 1/2
Buenos Aires	44 1/2	44 1/2
Shanghai	1/8 1/4	1/8 1/4
New York	4.89 1/2	4.84
Amsterdam	7.88	5 1/2
Vibona	28 1/2	28 1/2
Prague	100 1/2	100 1/2
Madrid	87 1/2	87 1/2
Bucharest	543	540
Hongkong	1/5 1/16	1/5
Brussels	20.75 1/2	20.73 1/2
Stockholm	19.40	19.40

MINISTER'S VISIT.

MR. ARIYOSHI ARRIVES IN
PEKING

Peking, Oct. 19.

Mr. Ariyoshi, Japanese Minister,
arrived here at 8.45 p.m. to-day
and expects to spend about a
month here, during which time he
will confer with General Huat-
Fu regarding the Sino-Japanese
situation in North China.—Reuter.

Liban 104 1/2 | 105 |

Bombay 1/5 3/4 | 1/5 3/4 |

Yokohama 1/8 1/4 | 1/8 1/4 |

Montevideo 36 1/2 | 36 1/2 |

Montreal 47 1/2 | 46 1/2 |

Silver (spot) 19 1/16 | 19 |

Silver (forward) 19 1/16 19 1/16 | 19 1/16 |

War Loan 101 7/16 | 101 7/16 |

British War Loan 101 7/16 | 101 7/16 |

4 SHOWS
DAILY
At 2.30,
5.10, 7.15 &
9.30 p.m.

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& 25332.

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Days
Whoopee!

The grand and glorious
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with a host of stage, screen
and radio stars! ... Leo
Carrillo - Mary Brian -
Roger Pryor - Herbert
Rawlinson - Lillian Miles
- Bobby Watson - William
Frawley - Alexander Gray
- 4 Eaton Boys - Bernice
Claire - Doris Carson -
Jack Denny and Orchestra
- Richard King - Frank &
Milt Britton Band.

MOONLIGHT
AND
PRETZELS

A UNIVERSAL PICTURE

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ORIENTAL
THEATRE

TAKE ANY TRAM OR HAPPY VALLEY BUS

2 DAYS
ONLY TO-DAY—TO-MORROW

A NEW
STORY OF THE SOUTH SEAS

The
PAINTED
WOMAN

with Peggy
Shannon
William Boyd
Irving Pichel

Fox Picture

SOMEWHERE
SOUTH OF SINGAPORE!
THE SOUTH SEAS
PROVIDE NEW THRILLS
IN THIS
ADVENTURE MELO-DRAMA.

Pearl fishers fight for their lives
at the bottom of the ocean with
man-eating sharks and danger-
ous devil-fish.

A GREAT STORY
OF ADVENTURE.

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